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BARE CHANCE OF AN

ENGLAND VICTORY

FORCING BATTING BY HAMMOND.

RAPID SCORING BRINGS REMOTE HOPE.

NO WICKET DOWN.

Durban, Jan. 19.

A remote—very remote prospect of an England victory emerged from the brilliant batting of Wyatt and Hammond who opened England's first innings on the third day of the Third Test, and were unseparated at the close of play. Only 47 runs in arrears with no wickets down, every incentive to attack the bowling to-morrow, in the hope of getting rid of South Africa quickly, is pre-

It is almost certain, of course, that a draw will result, heavy rain having washed-out cricket for the better part of two days.

South Africa put up a somewhat stronger resistance to the England attack than was expected, and an addition of 118 runs for the last six wickets, particularly as Siedle was dismissed at 86, was fairly good in the circumstances.

Voce in Form.

Voce again bowled extremely well, taking three of the six wickets that fell to-day. Cameron was top scorer for South Africa. his reliance on defence enabling him to pass Siedle's score of 38. At 41, however, the total score being 141, he was caught by Voce off Tate. Twenty runs later, McMillan was dismissed, and although Vincent made a strong elfort, the last wicket fell at 177.

Voce took 5 wickets for 58 runs in 29 overs, and Tate's splendid effort may be judged from the fact that he conceded only 33 runs in 27 putes, unemployment and India: overs and took 2 wickets.

England's Effort.

No tea interval was taken and there was a fairly large crowd when R. E. S. Wyatt and Hammond went out to open for England.

Both players made light of the attack. Hammond in fact giving ar exhibition reminiscent of brightest days. He scored with the most attractive strokes all round the wicket and runs came from his bat extremely quickly.

At the close of play, the scoreboard showed 130 runs for 0 wicket, scored in less than two hours.

Hammond scored practically two runs to every one obtained by his partner, though Wyatt also faced the bowling with plenty of con-

The detailed scores, as cabled by Reuter, follow:

South Africa.—1st Innings.

I. J. Siedle, b White 38

B. Mitchell, c Duckworth, b Tate
S. Curnow, c Duckworth, b Voce
H. W. Taylor, c Duckworth, b Voce
R. H. Catterall, b White 1
H. B. Cameron, e Voce, b Tate 4
H. G. Denne, b Voce 1
Q. McMillan, e Wyatt, b White 2
C. L. Vincent, c Duckworth, b Voce 1
N. A. Quinn, b Voce
A J Roll not out

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Tate		. 27	13	33 '	
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ENG	LAND.—1	BT IN	INI	NGS.	
R. E. S.	Wyatt, not	t out			

W. R. Hammond, not out

Total (for 0 wkt.)

LADY. M.P.'S DEATH,

London, Jan. 19. from pleurisy .- British Wireless. Dore.

THREE KILLED IN R.A.F. CRASH.

MACHINE HITS AERODROME BUILDING.

CLERKS INJURED.

News of yet another R.A.F. crash, attended with the loss of three lives, is contained in a Reuter's message from London, to hand this morning. Unusual features were associated with the disaster, as a number of clerks who were in the Aerodrome building into which the machine crash-

ed were injured. The message states that an Air Force "Virginia" bombing plane crashed into the Aerodrome building at Worthydown, near Winchester, two Flying Officers and one Aircraftsman being killed as a re-

A fourth occupant of the plane was unhart.

Eight clerks who were in the building at the time of the crash were injured, whilst two motorcars near at hand were wrecked. It will be recalled that only a

week ago two officers and a flight sergeant belonging to the R.A.F. Training School were killed when a Vickers-Vimy bomber crashed on the horders of Lincolnshire and Nottinghamshire. Two other bombers were forced to land at the same time, one being wrecked. All three had lost their way in the

Earlier on the same day, an officer was killed in a crash in Essex, following a collision with another machine. This fatality made the seventh in the R.A.F. since the New Year.

PARLIAMENT AGAIN IN SESSION.

VITAL DEBATE DUE ON THURSDAY.

London, Jan. 19. The main subjects for early discussion are education, trades dis-

It is probable that some close voting on some of these subjects will occur, but the general expectation in political circles is that the Government will avoid defeat on the main issues.

What may prove the most acute subject of debute will begin on Thursday when the Attorney General, Sir W. A. Jowitt, will move the second reading of the Trades' Disputes' Bill.

The Liberals will meet to-mor row to decide their general attitude is contemplated, have not been finally Legislature and the Executive would on the session's programme and this measure in particular,-Brilish Wireless.

SHANGHAI BANKING CLOSURE.

DEATH OF MILLIONAIRE MANAGER.

Shanghai, Jan. 19. A mild sensation was caused in Chinese banking circles this aftert noon by the demise of the wellknown Chinese millionaire banker, Mr. Wang Cho-ko, and the simultancous suspension of business of a Chinese bank which was managed

The Bank was one of the few banking institutions here which Total 177 operated day and night. Deposits in the Bank amount to over \$6,000,000. 3 for 33, 4 for 51, 5 for 86, 6 for 118, It is stated that three influential , 7 for 141, 8 for 101, 9 for 172, 10 for native banks are willing to give security on the deposits.

and partly owned by the deceased.

SHIP'S ENGINEER DISAPPEARS.

ON WAY FROM SINGAPORE TO HONGKONG.

Advice has been received by Messrs. Jardine Matheson and Co., 130 Ltd., that Mr. J. D. Wishart, third engineer of their steamer Sui

Mr. Wishart was not widely State and must, similarly, be respon-Dr. Ethel Bentham, the well-known in Hongkong. He joined stitutional rights of the must be granted the must be granted the must be granted the accessary announced to-day, passed away ago, when he arrived from Sings- powers for those purposes:

POLICY IN INDIA.

Full Responsibility: Safeguards in Period of Transition.

KING'S INSPIRING MESSAGE.

THE Indian Round Table Conference ended as it L opened, in an atmosphere of subdued enthusiasm, Queen Anne's drawing room at St. James's Palace being packed for an historic scene when Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, the Prime Minister, rose to deliver the speech winding up the Conference and to make the Government's declaration of policy.

The Prime Minister renewed the promise of the conferment of Dominion Status upon India and was cordially cheered on giving assurances that India was destined to achieve full self-government.

LIBERTIES OF THE MINORITIES.

(Cheers).

"In such Statutory safeguards for meeting the needs of the transitional period, it will be the primary concern of His Majesty's Government to see that the reserved powers are so framed and exercised as not to prejudice the advance of own government." (Applause).

"His Majesty's Government, while making this Declaration, is aware that some of the conditions essential to the work of such a Constitution as settled, but it believes that, as the have some features of dualism, which result of the work done here, they would have to be fitted into the Conhave been brought to a point which encourages the hope that further negotiations, after this Declaration, necessary in the circumstances and will be nuccessful.

FEDERATION OF ALL-INDIA.

"His Majesty's Government has taken note of the fact that the Conference's deliberations proceeded on a basis, accepted by all parties, that the central government should be Federation of All India, embracing both the Indian States and British Indiafin a bi-cameral Legislature.

"The precise form of the structure of the new Federal Government must be determined after further discussions with the Princes and the representatives of British India. The range of subjects committed to it also require further discussion because the Federal Government will have au thority only in such matters concerning the States as may be ceded by their Rulers in an agreement made by them on entering into the Federation." (Cheers).

"The connection of the States with the Federation will remain subject to

Legislature.

·VICEROY'S . POWERS.

Governor-General and arrangements "Finally His Majesty's Government munities that their interests would will be made to place in his hands, considers the institution in the Pro- not be prejudiced, and that it was Sang, disappeared while the vessel will be made to place in his hands,

The Government's declaration of "As regards finance, the transfer of which would meet Indian conditions, policy, read by Mr. Ramsay Mac- financial responsibility must neces- have surveyed a considerable part of Donald after a brief introduction, sarily be subject to such conditions as the structure in detail and the still will ensure the fulfilment of the unsettled points have been advanced "In the view of the British Govern- obligations incurred under the au- a good way to agreement. His

also, with such guarantees as are re- change policy, which, in the view of the difficulties which have been raised. quired by the Minorities to protect His Majesty's Government, will have their political liberties and rights." to be provided for somehow in the consider without delay a plan new Constitution.

> "It is of vital interest that all parties in India accept these provisions to maintain fiscal confidence.

"Subject to these provisions, the Indian Federal Government would have full financial responsibility for India through the new Constitu- the methods of raising revenue and tion to full responsibility for her control of expenditure on non-reserved HCTVices.

DUALISM FEATURES.

"This would mean, under the existng conditions, that the Central stitutional 'structure. "The provision of reserved powers Minorities Sub-Committee.

most free constitutions.

will necessitate their use." (Hear,

"It was, for instance, undestrable that Ministers should trust to the special powers of the Governor-General as a means of avoiding responsibilities which are properly their own, thus defeating the development of responsible government by bringing into use powers meant to lie in reserve and in the background.

"The Governor's Provinces will be constituted on a basis of full responbility. Their Ministries will be taken from the Legislatures and will be jointly responsible to it.

PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT.

"The range of Provincial subjects the basic principle that, in regard to will be so defined as to give them the all matters not ceded by them to the greatest possible measure of self-Federation, their relations will be government. The authority of the with the Crown, acting through the Federal Government would be limited agency of the Viceroy." (Cheers). to the provisions required to secure its

special powers which is required in successful working of respon- Wireless. order to secure in exceptional circum-sible Government in India, "Under existing conditions, the stances the preservation of tranquility it was necessary that the new subjects of Defence and External of the rights provided by Statute for Affairs will be reserved to the the public services and the minorities. Sometiment of the reserved to the the public services and the minorities.

Majorium Constitution, His whole question.

ferences of religion, race, sect or caste shall not, in themselves, constitute civic disabilities.

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Dollar on Demand:—111/4d. Lighting-up Time:—6.03 p.m.

High Water:—10.9 p.m. Low Water:—3.46 p.m.

"In the opinion of His Majesty's Government it is the duty of the Bradford C. communities to come to an agreement amongst themselves on the points raised by the Minorities Sub-committee, but not settled there. During the continuing negotiations such an agreement ought to be reached and Crystal Palace v. Everton. the Government will continue to Bradford C. render what good offices it can to Bury help to secure that end as it is anxious | Leeds United not only that no delay should take Grimsby T. place in putting the new constitution | Chelsea into operation, but that it should Southport start with the good-will and confidence | Blackburn of all the communities concerned.

FUTURE CONSULTATION.

"The various Sub-committees which have been studying the more important principles of the Constitution ment, the responsibility for the thority of the Secretary of State and Majesty's Government, however, in government of India should be placed the maintenance, unimpaired, of the view of the character of the Conupon the Legislatures, Central and financial stability and credit of India. ference and of the limited time at its Provincial, with such provisions as "The Report of the Federal Struc- disposal in London, has deemed it may be necessary to guarantee, dur- ture Sub-Committee indicates some advisable to suspend its work at this ing the period of transition, the ways of dealing with this subject, point so that Indian opinion may be Parliament reassembles to-mor- observance of certain obligations, and including the creation of a Reserve consulted upon the work done and row with a busy session in prospect. to meet other special circumstances; Bank, the service of loans, and ex- expedients considered for overcoming His Mniesty's Government

which our co-operation may be continued, so that the results of our completed work may be seen in a new Indian Constitution.

"If, in the meantime, there is a response to the Viceroy's appeal Banks; to those engaged at present in. The Board is to ask those Centaken to calist their services."

CLOSING OF WORK OF COMMITTEES.

Special Provisions for European Tradera.

The first business of the morning was the final meeting of the

The report of this body, in some such reservation has, indeed, which one paragraph relating to been incidental to the development of the protection of the British mercantile community in India had "But every care must be taken to been re-drafted, was adopted by prevent conditions arising which the Full Committee of the Con-

The following is the new clause it was agreed to substitute in the Minorities Committee report: "At the instance of the British

commercial community. principle was generally agreed crimination between the rights Weihaiwei and Tsingtao. of the British mercantile community, firms, and companies. trading in India, and the rights of Indian-born subjects, and that an appropriate Convention, based on reciprocity, should be entered into for the purpose of regulating these rights. . It was ingreed that the existing rights of the European community in India in regard to criminal trials should be maintained."

The Minorities Report.

RESULTS. EXTRA TIME IN READING

F. A. CUP RE-PLAY

PALACE GAME.

MIDDLESBROUGH OUT. London, Jan. 19. The four remaining English Cup-ties were settled to-day at the third time of asking, Bradford City, Manchester United, Crystal West Bromwich Albion qualifying

for the Fourth Round to be played

on Saturday next. where at the end of ninety fore Mr. Justice Wood and a minutes' play (300 minutes in all) jury, Crown evidence was forthno decision had been reached. In coming that prisoner, Tsui Sukextra time, however, the Palace mei, when employed by Mr. Ohl.

political representation, that dif- and the venue of the fourth match was Villa Park.

to entertain Everton.

Manchester U. 4

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The results as cabled by Reuter, 2 Middlesbro.

Crystal Pal. Charlton West Brom. v. Exeter. Newcastle. v. Arsenal. v. Blackpool

v. Manchester U. v. Bristol Rov. v. Burnley. Sunderland: Notts, County Tottenham. v. Brighton. v. Portsmouth. v. Wednesday.

v. Port Vale.

Stoke City

INQUIRY INTO GOLD

POSITION.

CENTRAL BANKS TO BE APPROACHED.

Basic, Jan. 19. At a meeting of the Board of the Bank of International Settlements held to-day it was decided to gather all the information possible regarding the conditions on which gold is bought by the various Central

civil disobedience and others wish tral Banks having gold deposits to co-operate on the general lines abroad to state whether they are of this declaration, steps will be prepared to exchange them for gold lodged in its strong-rooms.-Reu-

INDISPOSITION OF MR. C. T. WANG.

UNABLE TO MEET FOREIGN DIPLOMATS.

Peking, Jan. 19. Foreign Affairs, has had to cancel to be houseboy and engaged anall his engagements with the foreign diplomats on account of indisposition, which prevented him from having an interview with the tober 12 he was awakened by French, German and Spanish shricks, at about six or seven

Ministers to-day. Mr. Wang will be leaving to-ling. On going downstairs, he that there should be no dis- morrow for Nanking en route to found the boy lying on the floor

£70,000 FOR COURT POOR BOXES.

BIG BEQUEST CONTAINED IN WILL.

London, Jan. 19. The late Mr. John Albert Drinan. of the Constitutional Club, London, and Nice, France, bequentned With the Legislatures constitut. administration of Federal subjects The Minorities Report, which £70,000, practically all his estate, ed on a Federal basis, His Majesty's and the discharge of its responsibili- summarised the arguments and in trust for the Poor Boxes of the Government will be prepared to re- ties for subjects defined in the the claims of the various com- Metropolitan Police Courts in Loncognise the principle of respon- Constitution as of All-India concern. munities stated that to seek the don for the benefit of poor and sibility of the Executive to the "There would be reserved to the co-operation of all the communi- needy in such manner as the Court Governor only that minimum of ties, which is essential to a Magistrates may decide. -British

WEATHER FORECAST.

The Royal Observatory reports was on its way from Hongkong to the powers necessary for the administration of responsible Government particularly desirable that some that the anticyclone over South Singapore last week. The Sui tration of these subjects. Moreover, requires both that the Legislatures agreement should be come to be China has dissipated. Another separated the two men. Sang was bound for Calcutta and as the Governor-General must, as a should be enlarged and that they twoen the major communities to has formed over S.E. Mongolia. is not expected back for some last resort, be able, in an emergency, should be based on a more liberal facilitate consideration of the Moderate to fresh monsoon along weeks.

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various minerities, in addition to | (Continued on Page 7.) | moderate; fair, (Continued on Page 18.)

THE FELIX VILLA MURDER.

STORY OF SERVANT TROUBLES.

PRISONER'S FIGHT WITH MURDERED MAN.

MR. OHL'S EVIDENCE.

When the Felix Villas murder The keenest encounter was seen case was resumed at the Crimion the Stamford Bridge ground nal Sessions this morning, bescored two goals and won the right at No. 9, gave trouble in the house with the cook and the de-Bradford City disposed of ceased man, who was then coolie. Middlesbrough at Bradford, Man- Mr. Ohl said that prisoner was a chester United won at Liverpool, good houseboy, but he dispensed with his services because of the

trouble he gave. Ng Hing-wing, the present coolie, said that after prisoner a left and deceased became houseolboy, he (witness) became the 1 coolie. He continued that he had The completed draw is append- known prisoner for ten months ll and he visited the house twice after his dismissal, sitting in the

wash amah's room. Witness went on to say that on the night of October 12 he was roused from his sleep by screams. He got up, entered the kitchen, and went through into the passage, where he saw deceased, who was lying on the ground, his wife, the master of the house and others of the household.

A Fight Recalled.

Replying to his Lordship, witness stated that prisoner and deceased once had a fight, but after-

wards they were friendly. His Lordship:-When you saw them yourself, were they friendly or not?-They appeared to me

to be friendly. Answering further 'questions, witness said that he saw the two men fight with their fists for half an hour one afternoon in October. When asked if he was present during the whole of the fight, witness explained that, in fact, he did not-

see the fight at all. His Lordship thereupon explained to the jury that witness had not seen the men fighting, but was repeating a story he had

Mr. Ohl's Evidence.

Mr. Ohl, in evidence, said that he was now living at No. 2, Felix Villas, together with his wife and family. He employed prisoner as No. 1 houseboy but dispensed with his services because of his having rows with the cook

and coolie (deceased). Witness recalled that on one occasion he had to separate prisoner and the cook. Prisoner left his service on October, 1, 1980. Mr. C. T. Wang, the Minister for and witness promoted deceased other coolie, the new coolie being the cook's brother.

Witness continued that on Ocminutes to five o'clock in the mornand informed the police.

Too Much Trouble.

Answering questions by Mr. Leo D'Almada, defending counsel, witness agreed that, he was reluctant to part with prisoner, because he was a good houseboy, but he caused too much trouble in the house. He finally dismissed prisoner on the complaint of the cook, but recommended him for another post. His wage was about \$30 a month.

The cook at No. 9 Felix Villas described the fight between the deceased and accused which took place in the kitchen some time before the alleged crime. He said that the deceased started it by throwing a round tin cooking pot at the accused, hitting him on the head. The prisoner retaliated bystriking him with his fist, and the deceased then picked up a rolling pin from the kitchen table and hit him. The fight lasted about ten minutes. Witness eventually

Cause of Trouble.

The trouble crose from the fact Majesty's Government considers been accomplished, it has not yet The local forecast till noon to-some articles belonging to his masprovisions guaranteeing to the succeeded, but negotiations are to morrow is:-North-east winds, ter which the deceased put in the

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FUNERAL OF MR. C. A. FULCHER.

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT HAPPY VALLEY.

The funeral of the late Mr. C. A. graveside.

Among those present were:— In her opening remarks, Mrs. Messra. G. C. Moxon, A Nissim, G. Barker said that the position of H. Potts, G. P. Lammert, N. V. A. Poet Laureate had probably de-Croucher, J. Gould, H. Seth, H. B. veloped from the Middle Ages, L. Dowbiggin, E. M. Raymond, G. when minstrels and versifiers A. Harriman, Col. T. A. Robertson, were part of the equipment of Court and camp, and every courter, M. Messrs, R. M. Omar, F. M. tier was expected to have some R. Abraham and many others.

B. W. Summers, Dr. J. Donelan, S. competitions. Dunn, Mr. & Mrs. G. U. da Roza. In 1670, Dryden was given the the Pipe band of the Highlanders Mr. & Mrs. L. E. S. Hodges, Mr. & title of Laurente by Letters Patent, attended and, upon the entry of Mrs. J. S. Smith, Sir E. Gibson- and after this the post was regu-Craig Carmichael, Bart. P. Tester larly instituted, though the emolu-& Abraham, Mr. J. T. Bagram, ments varied, and the duties were Miss Lily Wong, Mr. & Mrs. A.M. the production of regular birthd'Eca, Miss E. B. Blackburn, Mr. day and New Year odes. & Mrs. A. Brostedt, E. G. Renton. After mentioning the various & Mrs. H. Birkett, J. A. Fisher, Leo one another, the speaker said that d'Almada e Castro, C. Gomes, G. H. when Tennyson died there was Potts, Seu Kon Chi. Capt, P. W. difficulty over the election of Grierson, Major Adams, R. Sheep- new Poet Laurente, and it was shanks. Mr. & Mrs. R. M. Omar suggested that the post be abolish-Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Gould, Mr. & ed. Morris and Swinburne were Mrs. J. H. Taggart, Mrs. E. O. not suitable, and other poets were Murphy & Miss M. Kickwood, of an inferior calibre. However Mr. & Mrs. E. M. Raymond, Wong it was decided not to make a break Man Wai, Mr. & Mrs. G. A. Harri- in the tradition, and Alfred Ausman, J. L. Litten, Poon Chung I. Itin was elected. After him came Ng. C. C. Castro, L. Dunbar & W. though not the most appreclated, Zimmern, Mr. & Mrs. A. H. Potts, ever to make a wide popular ap-Mr. & Mrs. A. Hydé Lay, Leo & M. penl.

Staff Moxon & Taylor, H. K. Stock Exchange, Committee & & Edgar, Smith Bell & Co., (Manila), H. K. Sharebrokers Association, Wright & Co., F. Silva & Co., Fred Kew & Co., Johnson, Stokes & Master, Li Fun Kee.

Weill.

CHINESE HOSPITALS' ELECTION.

FOR WORK IN 1931.

the Board of Directors controlling lar. the affairs of the Tung Wah Hos-Tobacco Company, were elected vice-Chairmen.

The election evoked considerable interest. No fewer than 26 newlyelected Directors were present, together with the resigning Direc-tors of 1930 including the Chairman, Mr. Leung Put-yu.

U. S. SUFFERERS.

RELIEF FOR THE DROUGHT STRICKEN AREAS.

. Washington, Jan. 19. President Hoover has appointed a committee of 57 members, headed by ex-President Coolidge and

THE POET LAUREATE AND HIS WORK.

INTERESTING LECTURE ON JOHN MASEFIELD.

"The New Poet Laureate" was Fulcher took place at the Pro- the title of the lecture delivered testant Cemetery, Happy Valley. by Mrs. Paul Barker at the Helena yesterday and was attended by a May Institute yesterday, a large large number of mourners. Rev. attendance enjoying a comprehen-E. A. Armstrong officiated at the sive discourse on John Mascheld and his works.

Ellis, G. U. da Roza, Sen Kon-chi. skill in the art of rhyming. Both R. Abraham and many others. Richard Coeur De Leon and Henry Third kept a versificator regis, Wreaths were sent by the follow- and one John Kay described himing:—"His sorrowing sister, Cicely". Shelia, "God Bless You,
A.W.C.", Smithle and Cam. Mr. & origin to the wreath of laurel Mrs. G. C. Moxon, A. Nissim, Mr. which in ancient Greece was at & Mrs. N. V. A. Croucher, Lt. Col. once the prize and the symbol of T. A. Robertson, A. F. Howard & victory at the athletic and artistic

Miss F. A. Cousins, Mr. P. C. Potts, Robert Bridges, to many critics A, and S.H.: Officers, 93rd, High-L. J. Cave, G. M. Hemsworth, James | the greatest poet of our century, T. Stanton, Mr. & Mrs. J. H. Seth, His art was too subtle, too with-L. J. N. Silva. Shi Yu Yan and A. drawn, too scholarly and exquisite

The Latest Choice.

The appointment of John Mass-Members of the Hongkong Club, field as his successor frankly Percy Smith, Seth & Fleming, Ellis puzzled many, yet bearing in mind all the drawbacks to popularity. over-subtlety, difficulty of interpretation, even over-excellence, it was possible to account satisfactorily for the choice of the new Laurente.

In the first place he was popular both as a man and as a writer: ficult: he himself was well-known, accessible, and active in modern literary movements such as the Scottish Association for the PROMINENT CHINESE CHOSEN | Speaking of Verse. He had frequently lectured in Britain and in America on a variety of subjects. The election of a Chairman for and his lectures had been popu-

In the second place he had writpital, Tung Wah Eastern Hospital ten of the life of a great part of and the Kwong Wah Hospital for the English people, intimately and mand. the year 1931 took place at the truly, sometimes beautifully, and Tung Wah Hospital, on Sunday, above all the lives of sailors, and when Mr. Ngan Shing-kwan of the their work of the sea which was China Motor Bus Company, was so precious a part of every Eng-elected Chairman and Messrs. W. lish-man's inheritance. Racing, N. Thomas Tam, and Mr. Chan hunting, fighting, drinking, loving, Lim-pak, ex-Chairman of the Can-ton Chamber of Commerce and went to make up the life of what Superintendent of the Nanyang we called the working and peasant classes, as well as much of the life of the Squire and the bourgeois: all of these were his work.

a career which appealed to the his works. He was a humble and imagination of every man. The ife of a sailor and a wanderer as in letters, and that was the had a special attraction; most people dream of it, some wrote of it: but Mr. Masefield had both the very excess of feeling might lived and written it. Another thing that seemed to have had something to do with his election was that he was not too good poet. In every art, the second best was easier to grasp and enjoy than the best, except to the trained or naturally appreciative mind.

Varied Career.

The lecturer could tell little of the former Presidential can- Masefield's life and career. "Who's didates. Messrs. Al Smith and Who" merely told them that he mar-Davis, to assist the Red Cross to ried in 1903, has two children. raise \$10,000,000 to relieve the and was made an honorary D. sufferers in the drought-stricken Litt., Oxford, in 1922. They knew areas .- Reuter's American Service. that he went to sea for some

FUNERAL OF PTE. MARSHALL.

FULL MILITARY HONOURS YESTERDAY.

The funeral of Private John Marshall of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, who was drowned at Kowloon on Friday, took place at Happy Valley yesterday, and was attended with full milltary honours.

The interment was in the Roman Catholic section of the graveyard, the rites being performed by the Rev. J. J. O'Brien, C.F., following a short service in the Chapel.

"D" Company of the 2nd Batt: Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, to which decensed was attached, attended in full, and there were also representatives of other companies, as well as the South Wales Borderers, the Royal Artillery and the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, the latter being represented by Mr. D. L. Strel-

Capt. R. G. Moir, D.S.O., M.C., (Coy, Commander), Capt. Carmichael and Lieut, Bramwell were present at the graveside, whilst the cortege into the cemetery, played "Flowers of the Forest." Members of deceased's plateon

acted as pall-bearers, and a tiring party fired a salute at the close of the service. This was followed B. C. Randall, T. S. Herridge, Mr. Poet Laurentes which succeeded by the "Last Post" and "Reveille" by buglers.

Wrenths were sent from :- General Officer Commanding and Staff, Headquarters, China Command; His pals of 14th Platoon, 2nd Batt: Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders: Company Commander, Capt. R. G. Moir, D.S.O., M.C.: Officers. N.C.O.'s and men, "D" company, 2nd. Batt: A. and S.H.; All ranks "B" company, 2nd, Batt: landers; Officers and other ranks. Royal Artillery: All ranks "C" company, 93rd, Highlanders; Offcers and men, Machine Gun company, H.K.V.D.C.; European police officers, Shum Shul-po; Chairman and Committee, "Cheero" Club.

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Mrs. Barker then made interesting references to the Laurente's early poems, his prose, novels and plays, making comparisons with other famous poets, and at times gently criticising and pointing out certain weaknesses or failings of Mascfield's work.

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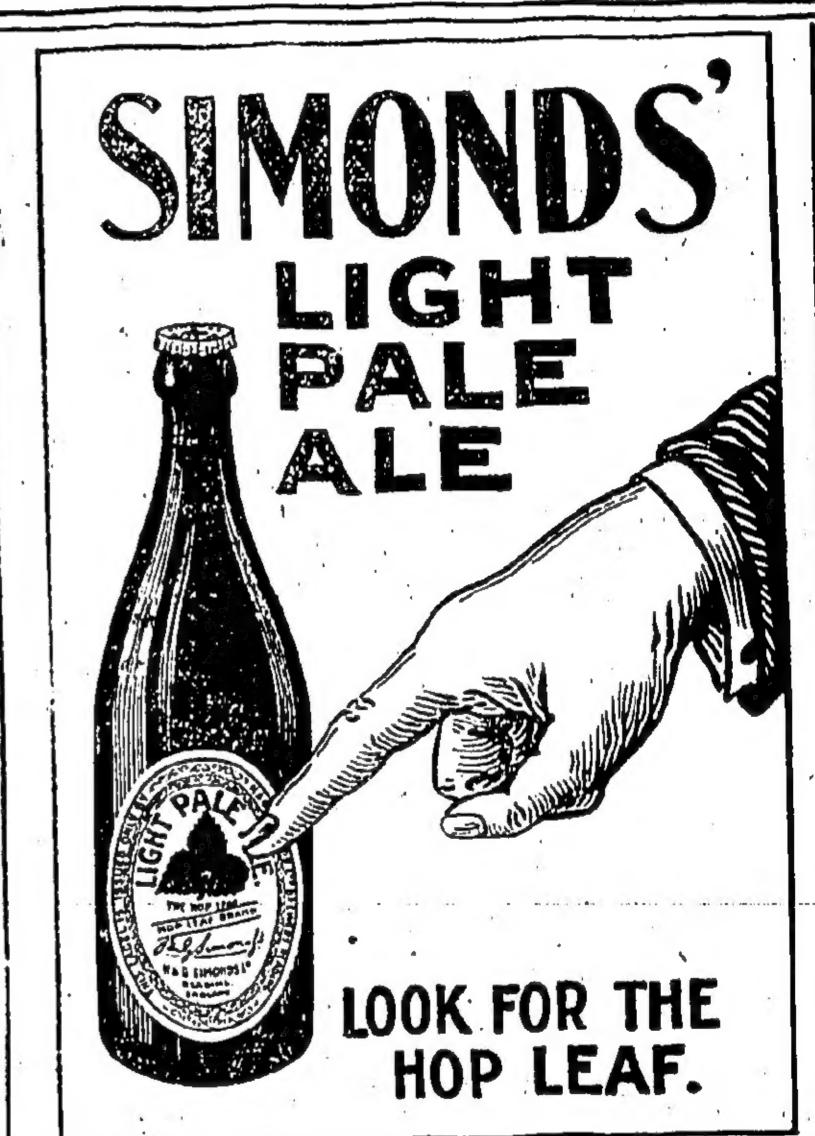
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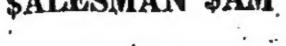
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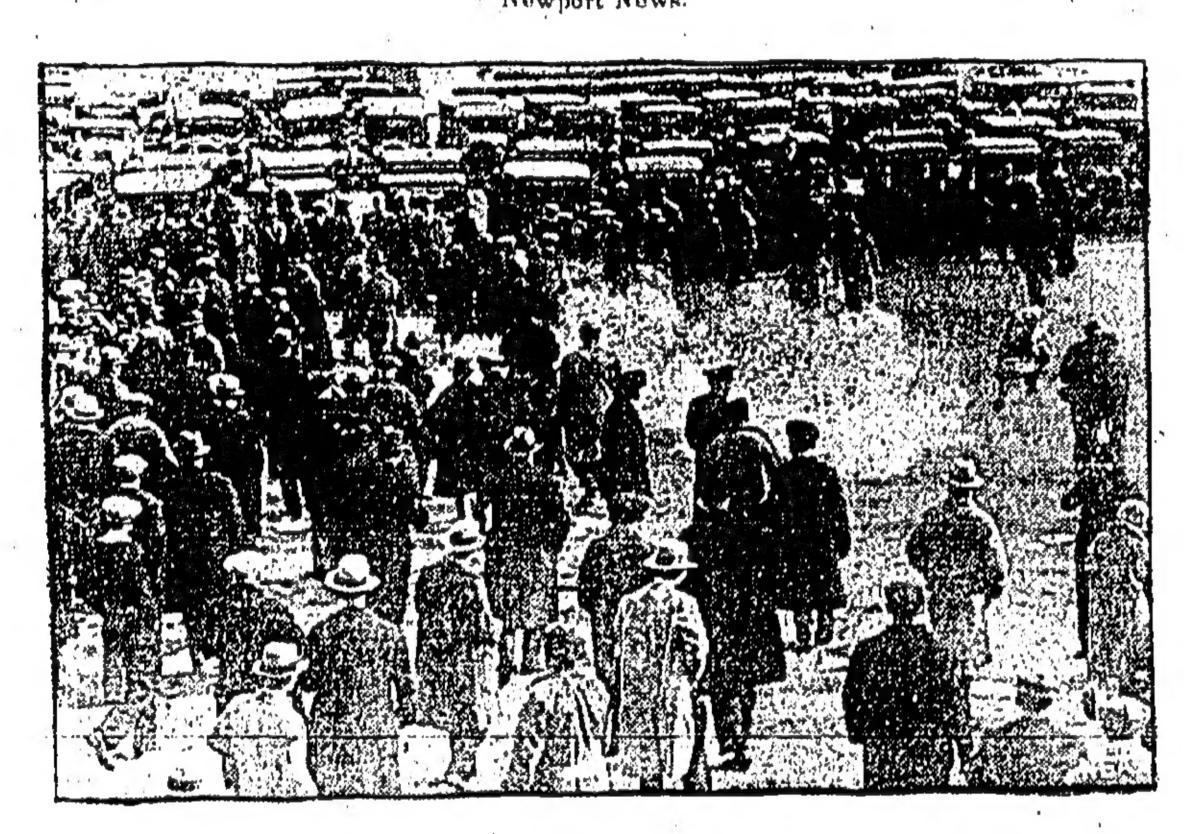
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He Was a Bust

The wreck of the British liner Highland Hope lying precariously on a reef off the Farilhoos, Portugal. The 519 passengers and crew were landed in a remarkably efficient



Photo taken when Mrs. Hoover launched the new Dollar liner "President Hoover" at Newport News.



Unemployed riots are causing grave anxiety to the American authorities. Photo shows a typical scene, the police employing tear-gas bombs against disturbers of the peace. Equally effective is the hose-pipe employed at Los Angeles last week.



Scenes in Madrid during the critical days of the recent attempted revolution are pictured Colonel of the Regiment of Leon, watching a march past at the above. Below, police are shown breaking up a demonstration at which "Death to the Simon Belivar celebrations. This was His Majesty's first appearabove. Below, police are shown breaking up a demonstration at which "Death to the Simon Belivar celebrations. This was His Majesty's first appearabove. Below, police are shown breaking up a demonstration at which "Death to the Simon Belivar celebrations. This was His Majesty's first appearabove. Below, police are shown breaking up a demonstration at which "Death to the Simon Belivar celebrations. This was His Majesty's first appearabove. Below, police are shown breaking up a demonstration at which "Death to the Simon Belivar celebrations. This was His Majesty's first appearabove. Below, police are shown breaking up a demonstration at which "Death to the Simon Belivar celebrations. This was His Majesty's first appearabove. Below, police are shown breaking up a demonstration at which "Death to the Simon Belivar celebrations." The was the cry. Top photo shows the Civil Guard moving out under rance outside the Royal Palace after the revolutionary episodes.

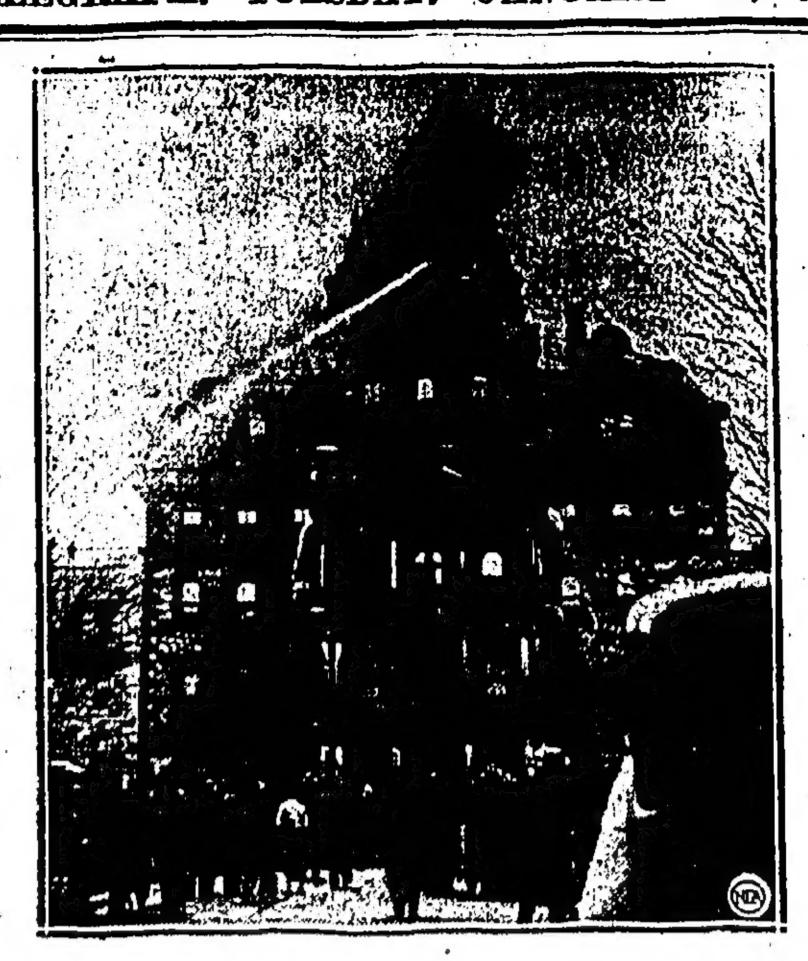


Photo shows the fire at the New Jersey Hospital for the Insane at its height, The blaze did damage of \$2,000,000 Mex. and is attributed to incondiarism.



A new fighting plane in-troduced into the U.S. Navy. David Ingalls, right, has flown it at 180 m-p.h. with the throttle half-open:





Major Franco, famed air- Captain Galan, one of the man, who was a leader in the Jaca revolt leaders, who was Spanish revolt. He escaped summarily court-martialled in a stolen plane to Portugal. and shot. (Times copyright.)



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Owners are reminded that entries for the Annual Race Meeting must be in the hands of the Secretary on or before Saturday, tion, 24th January, 1931, at 3 p.m.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN, Secretary.

Hongkong, 20th January, 1931.

NOTICE.

Hongkong Automobile Association

The Rev. G. E. S. Upadell has resigned the position of Hon. Secretary, and Mr. B. D. Evans has been appointed in his stead. Communications to the Association should be addressed either c/o The "Hongkong Telegraph" or to No. 2 Royal Observatory Hill

THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Annual Raco Meeting. 28th February, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and

7th March, 1931. Draft Programmes and Entry forms are now ready and may be with anxiety.

Secretary.

January, 1931. Hongkong, 16th January, 1931.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FORTY-THIRD ORDIN-ARY GENERAL MEETING SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Offices of Mosses, Jardine, Matheson & Co., TO LET. Ground Floor of No. 8A, Ltd. on TUESDAY, 10th February. 1931 at 12.30 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts for the year ending list December, 1930.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSEL from FRIDAY, 23rd January, TUESDAY, 10th February, both days inclusive, during which l period no transfer of shares can

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While running on the flat towards Bradwell Grove after a meet Entries close on Saturday, 24th at Eastleach, near Lechlade, Gloucestershire, her horse put its foot into a rabbit hole and fell twice, rolling over its rider.

Lady Apsley was taken in a motor ambulance to Circucester Memorial Hospital, where an X-ray examination was made.

Lady Apsley is the wife of Lord Apsley, eldest son of the Earl and Countess Bathurst and formerly M.P. for Southampton. She is the President of the British Empire Union and originated the scheme for correspondence between women of the Motherland and women over-

Some years ago she accompanied her husband to Australia, where he worked incognito as a farm hand. Lady Apsley shared his rough life. doing domestic work, baking bread cooking, and, in short, living the same life as the wives of the farmers who only knew her as one of themselves.

Lady Apsley was stated last night to be "as well as can be expected." Lord Apsley and his father, Earl Bathurst, were also following the hounds at the time of the accident.

BARRACKS TRAGEDY.

FOUR BULLETS IN TROOPER'S BODY.

The inquest into the shooting tragedy at Mooltan Barracks, Tidworth, on Thursday night, was opened on Dec. 20. Maurice Archibald Bell, twenty-three, a trooper in the Royal Scots Greys. was found shot dead, and Jack Healey, a civilian barber, of Faberstown, near Ludgershall, who was also shot, died in hospital on the

day of the inquest. Bell, a Glasgow man, was due to go on draft for India. The inquest was on Trooper Bell only.

Squadron Quartermaster Sergeant Richard Charles Beels said he heard a succession of bangs as he sat in his store just after eight on Thursday night. After a minute there was another, but, as he was accustomed to hearing so many peculiar noises at night, he did not trouble to investigate.

Major Thomas Parr, R.A.M.C., deposed to finding four bullet wounds in Bell's body. He was holding in his hand a knob that had come off the barber's saloon door. A pistol lay on the floor a yard away from his head, and letters were strewn about. Two of the bullet wounds would have killed the man instantly.

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a High Court decision. In it he

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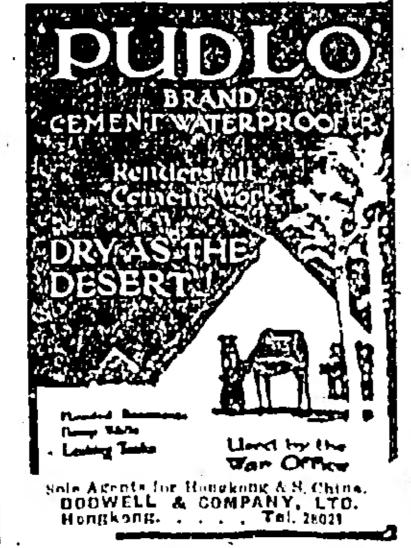
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For the sophisticate, is fashioned a regal siren gown of rich black velvet, with black fox hem. The cut of the skirt gives beautiful body lines, with a tremendously voluminous width below the hips. The neckline is plain and low in the back.

YOUR CHILDREN.

[By Olive Roberts Barton.]

Books for children have changed. that hi in with child life and chilconception of the world they live in I think it is as necessary, more necessary for us to keep in touch with the newest things in children's literature than for us to look after our own. Time, some of the older days are more popular than ever and that is a comfort always, the

great never die, but the contrast of the old with the new is intercely in teresting. I make it a point several times

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It's a Parental Duty.

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> Later they like longer adventure stories, the more complicated fairy tale, real stories of real animals.

> Still later come the beroes," classic adventure, the story of the how or girl who nemicted success, biography, history, travel and commisse books about the world. Firsts, animals and people,

The happy book makes a happy hild. To keep the cob book in the packground is the only anyier

SILVER EYELIDS.

The New "Beauty" Craze.

London beauty specialists report items. I take a new book of adven- an extraordinary demand for eye dresses),

This is largely due to the new Now I'm no readside sign for pub- fashions in hairdressing and hats lishers -if I am, more power to them Where six months ago a few hun--but I do think that every mother dred pots of eyeshadow were sold whether she buys a book or not in a month, thousands are now owes it to herself to have a good purchased every week. And at helow the eyes.

time in the children's book depart least three new colours for decorating the eyelids have been

Remember, children up to six stage, created a great deal of fattention by her eve make-up. In place of the blue, grey, brown; or of toys, or dolls, or children, and black eyeshadow to which we are gradually becoming accustomed. she had decorated her eyelids with la bright silver paste!

Another amusing indication of the new importance of eves is ch. increased sale of artificial eyelashes. For an outlay of ten shillings it is possible to be the possessor of luxuriant inch-long lashes with which to augment canty natural growth.

Here are some of the beauty hints which are being given by experts on the art of eye beauty:

Emphasise the centre of the eyebrow to make small eyes look

Pencil a light line out from the corner of each eye to give the length and (This is especially "mystery." important when making-up to sophisticated evening

Give the eyes a poetical "dewy" look by smearing the upper lid and the corner of the eyes with a little cold cream.

Aprly rouge over any shadows

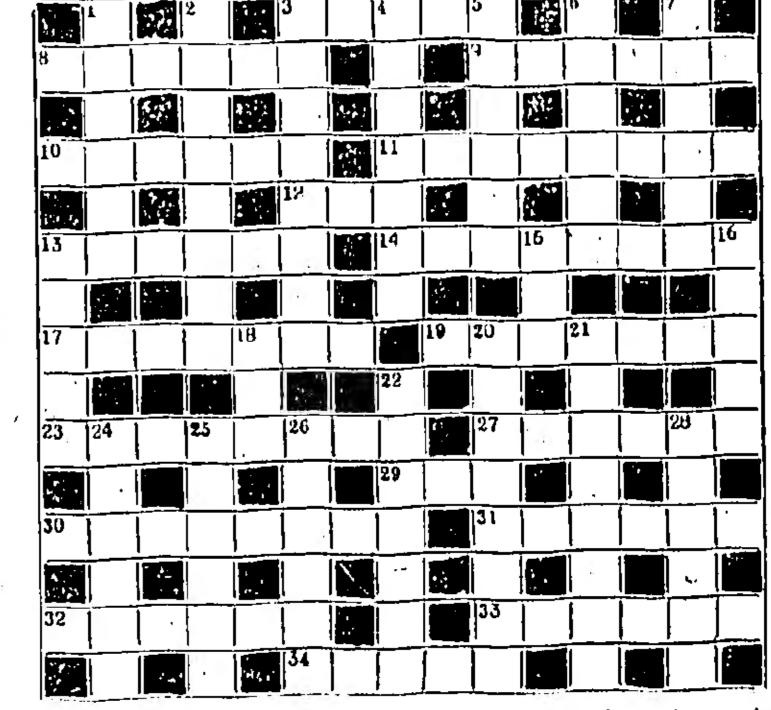
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· Yesterday's Solution.

The grocer must mix 33 1/3 pounds of 5-cent sugar with 66 2/3 pounds of 8-cent sugar to get 100 pounds of sugar worth 7 cents per pound.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS.



3 Here R. L. S. made his last often expressed views about

riding (hidden). O Time's is the "swing of pendulum." 10 To be placed after 34 across.

Married Joe Willet and ran the "Maypole Inn." 11 Dogs who wished to injure this

man had to come to heel. 12 A Hebrew measure, 13 Differently pronounced this glit-

ter is applicable to a country of Europe. 14 When this din is beheaded it ex-

hibits lassitude. 7 These little boats look rather 9 You will never get a cocktuil in the bars here, as the lines are

quite imaginary. 23 "Tie latch" (anag.). 27 You seek this in every clue. 29 Found in the fairway.

30 There are, of course men still in Armenia-this is one of them. 31 The tin performed, and that's

32 To form ideas. 33 This elephant is full-grown. 34 I think this is not much used

nowadays for washing clothes.

1 The sirocco is so named in Spain. In Egypt they call it the kham-

2 Managing. 3 Heartily.

4 "March on" (anag.). 5 Mother comes in at the end of

6 This pact has lost a letter at the

7 A light Canadian river boat, in which one finds tea. 13 Livy was born in this Italian

15 New. 16 The upright part of a step. 18 After Christmas this is before Christmas.

20 Here a city is in lack of some 21 The owner of this concern would, doubtless, be better pleased if

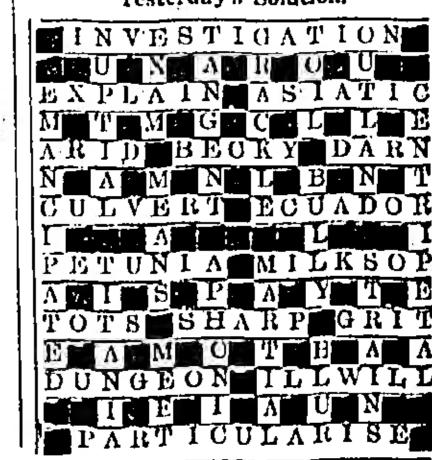
the second vowel were only a semi-vowel. 22 There is a famous school for

24 Three tonic sol-fa notes name the shipworm.

25 Make up this to get ahead. 26 Hauled up by means of a rope (nautical term).

28 Here the eleven are far from

Yesterday's Solution.



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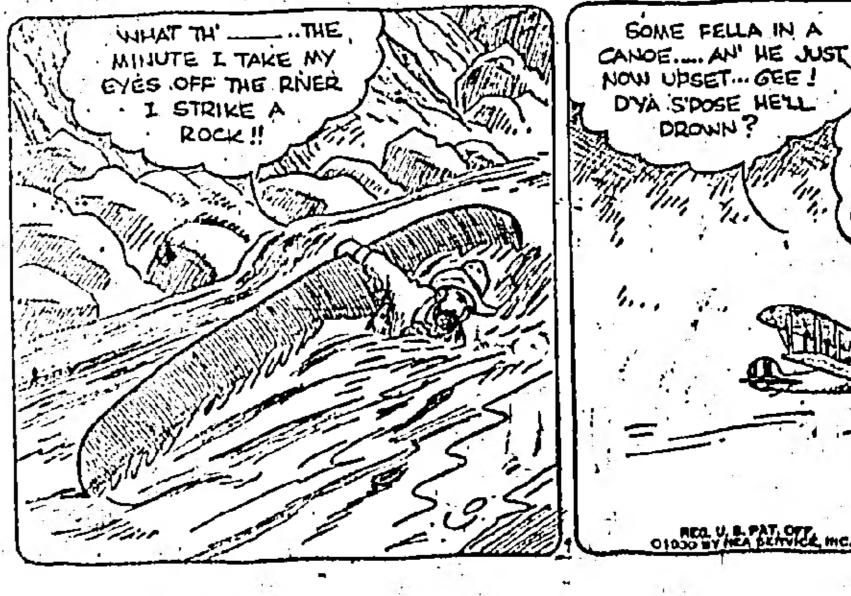
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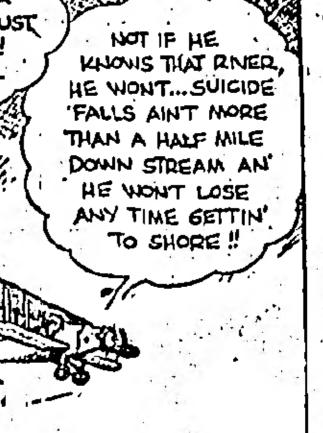






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Ljongkong Eelegraph

THE WILLIAM OF A TOTAL CONTROL TUESDAY, JAN. 20, 1931.

THE REMOVAL OF TRADE BARRIERS.

At a moment when tariffs are the subject of almost universal discussion, it is timely that Mr. Arthur Henderson, in speaking at | States, having another large com-Geneva before the Committee for modity surplus for which interestthe Economic Union of Europe, ed parties can find no particular should urge earnest consideration of proposals for reducing economic for a way out of an economic diffibarriers. It will be recalled that I at the Economic Conference held not joking. Such a proposition has under the auspices of the League been seriously advanced by was unanimously adopted declaring that the time had come to put an end to the increase in tariffs and to move in the opposite direction. No fewer than twenty-nine Governments have accepted the principles laid down at that Conference, but, as Mr. Henderson has pointed out. the promises to implement the resolutions by action has not been fulfilled. Apart from the obstruction to the free movement of commodities which all tariffs imply, there is, as the British Foreign Secretary has stressed, a distinct danger that if some step is not taken to bring about a change in Europe, a disastrous tariff war may be waged in the near future.

M. Briand's plan for a Customs Union is that there should be a free interchange of goods between all European nations, all existing barriers being wiped out. There would, of course, be a tariff wall raised by European nations against those outside the Union, that the Wall Street journal is but it is to be presumed that the would have the right to negotiate with outsiders as to the nature and extent of the tariffs imposed, due account being taken of the treatconflict with present fiscal conceptions and ideals of the country. As we know, both the Labour and the Liberal Parties stand for the maintenance of the existing Free Trade policy. Yet there would, as far as we can see, be no reason why, in addition to joining in the European Union, Britain should not agree to maintain her Free Trade attitude towards such non-European countries as were willing to treat her if this scheme represents the pass the to which it has come.

way would gradually be paved for universal Free Trade, to which even the most ardent Protectionist under existing conditions could not possibly object. Indeed, British Protectionists have never hesitated to declare that Free Trade would be the ideal system, provided countries adopted it. Lord Parmoor, in a speech during the weekend, endorsed such a ment, urging support for world policy of free exchange of goods, unimpeded by Customs House obstructions.

Referring back to the Geneva deliberations of 1927, it is worth recalling that Major Walter Elliott, one of the British representatives, declared that Great Britain has one of the lowest tariffs in the world, and proposed to abide by it. He stated that practically ninetyeight per cent, of the imports into Britain went in duty free, adding that Britain was sometimes criticised for her isolation, but he rather would be received with any general enthusiasm. At the time these remarks were made. Mr. Baldwin's Party was not quite so insistent on Protection as it has latterly become. Indeed, it is certain that i the Conservatives come into power, their policy will be in the opposite direction to that sponsored by the League of Nations, which seeks a progressive elimination of tariffs rather than any move towards higher barriers. It may, of course, be idealistic to hope for universid Free Trade, but there would seem ground for hope of something being done in that direction if the whole of Europe took the first step. The difficulties are admittedly immense, but, in view of the benefits. which would accrue, it would be foolish to regard them as insuper-

And Now Wheat,

After silver, wheat. The United

use, is again looking towards China culty. This time, however, the impulse is to give it away! We are Farm Board, purchased in the open market in a completely unsuccessful attempt to bolster up prices. Th financial journal now fears that this huge stock will simply be carried over till next year and by its mere existence have an extremely depressing influence on the market for new wheat. It therefore makes this suggestion: "Why not give it away? Four hundred million underfed Chinese would devour it without unloosening their belts. At the sight of a pile of wheat being 'distributed by the Nanking Government the Communists would ernment the Communists would fade away faster than they ever will before machine-guns. The wheat might be given to our people, but home relief can better be handled by cash and without danger of making matters worse by upsetting the flour and baking trades. Giving wheat to starving Chinese will upset nothing-and may set up an era of peace and reconstruction in China." If we were of the opinion taking itself very seriously, we several countries within the Union might be tempted to laughter. Apart altogether from the soundness of the conclusions reached regarding the effects of such a gift oh Chinese politics, if it is merely a question of getting rid of surment accorded by the Governments plus wheat, suhy not dump it in the of the latter. From the British sen? Why bother about sending standpoint, it is easy to see that the it to China and meeting the exceedadoption of such a policy would ingly heavy transportation costs, in addition to entirely upsetting the American and Canadian wheat trade in China? Just as feeding it to America's own underfed unemployed and cutting into wheat purchases by relief organisationsthat is one of the principal fearswould damage the farmer's present prospects, so would any other proposal, except sheer destruction, hit farmers directly or indirectly. The economic world must have worked Itself into a pretty thorough tangle

DAY BY DAY

GREAT STATES IS APT TO BE A CURSE AS HEAVY AS THE CRIMES OF TYRANTS .- Froudc.

At the P.W.D. land sale yesterday, New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 1444 at Ngautaukok consisting of 6,400 square feet was sold at the upset price of \$512 to Mr. W. Fox. on behalf of Mr. Tsang Iu-ting, of 36 Queen's Road Central.

singer of repute, who has been making a short visit to the Colony, delighted the members with a few of her songs, at a reception given to her at the Club House. Dancing followed.

At about 4.15 yesterday mornfloor of 47, Austin Road, Kowloon, extinguished by the Brigade, conwere injured.

MISSING.

FORTNIGHT.

MERE FOOLISHNESS IN MEN RES-PONSIBLE FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF

and the second and th

Miss Jovita Flores, a Filipina Filipino Club yesterday evening

on Saturday night, the s.s. Hui- who considers, rightly or wrongly, country to lift itself from its prechow ran into a fishing junk, that the soul can only flower to sent mood of pessimism if the only almost cutting it in two, and perfection in a body that is stary- place where anybody can feel comdoubted whether a decision on her causing the capsizing of the craft. ed and tortured, you will find that fortable is in bed? Five of the crew, who were the desire for comfort is behind a practice in the matter of tariffs brought, into Hongkong by the at first sight, seem to be purely cross-Word rescued from the water, were great many aspirations that might

> ing, fire broke out on the ground caused through some blinds on the verandah catching fire from lighted joss-sticks. The flames were siderable damage being caused to the floor and its contents, more by water than by fire. No persons deed.

Temple Street, and also of having cold assaulted her. The defendant said he went to see the complainant last fingers together and stamping his the case of another national vice. night, and a squabble arose. complainant kicked him and kicked her. Mr. Butters convicted the windows were closed, but that diets. defendant of assault and fined him \$20, or three weeks'.

HONGKONG JUNK

NO NEWS FOR OVER A

reported the case to the police. world and keep warm.

WEDONTTAKETHE CHILL OFF.

By BEVERLEY NICHOLS.

able to give a coherent answer.

bound to respect, will openly ad pect your children to be "bright" mit that they are living for noth when they have to wrap their ing at all, that life is a tale told wretched bodies in so much wool as much comfort as possible,

ner of men build throughout their Near Swatow, at about 8 o'clock lives. If you except the fanatic And how can you expect this

> Painters want it, scientists want it, lovers certainly want it And in England, largely through their own fault, they get so little of it that there is a very small margin, in the average man's life, between our normal national discomfort and acute physical pain.

Which puzzles me very much in-

young portrait painter in his studio. It was a large, expensive A Chinese named Leung Yau studio in a small, expensive displended guilty, before Mr. Butters, trict. In spite of its high cost, he at the Kowloon Magistracy this could easily pay a year's rent with morning, to a charge of having a couple of portraits. Yet, when damaged the property of a woman I visited him, he was unable to criticiso after that ridiculous named Chan Shet-ying, at 109, work at all because he was too spade bid-"

feet. His nose was blue. There Post-mortems are now very fawas a bright fire in the grate and shionable among cross-word adis not enough to heat a very large This new element of retrospecroom with a high expanse of sky- tive mud-slinging is likely to prove

me as though I had suggested something exotic and rather improper. Then he said that it was "unhealthy." and added that anyway he could not afford it.

are painting with numb fingers No. T405H, which left for Macao cold hands, stockbrokers are sit-Robinson and his trump-trouble, on the 5th instant, with 1.040 cold hands, stockbrokers are sitsacks of cement valued at \$2,000, ting with cold feet, housemaids are money on the two men in the cornhas not been seen since. Anxious over the safety of the chills, authors are writing love tion uncontaminated by a strong of Nations in 1927. a resolution Magazine of Wall Street, which is vessel, Lam Lai-chuen, the stories which refuse to flame, masmuch alarmed by the tremendous manager of the Cheun Wo Ship-ters are teaching shivering pupils hoard of wheat controlled by the ping Company, 32, Queen's Road —all because we will not follow telligence you would have got Farm Board, purchased in the open West, who are the charterers, has the example of the rest of the Part of a Prophet. It couldn't

TT is a rather alarming fact that It is beyond me. How can you the average man, if asked expect clerks to be punctual at what he is living for, is quite un-their offices when they live in houses so cold that the idea of getting out of bed in the morning is Some men, whose honesty one is sheer torture? How can you exby an idiot, signifying nothing, to that their skins are suffocated? be endured or even enjoyed, with How can you expect a party to be

a success when the principal It is that word comfort, which is really the keystone of the whole philosophical arch which all man-free without using actual physical

Post-Mortems.

By PHIPPS.

NYONE who plays bridge, or, worse still, does not play bridge within earshot of bridgeplayers, will know what I mean by Yesterday I visited a prosperous "post-mortems." "Without wishing to cry over spilt milk, Mrs. Blottershaw, I think if you had taken me out in diamonds-"

"Well really, Mrs. Crumbling, 1 hardly think you're in a position to

Well. I have been observing the He paced the room, chafing his growth of a similar practice in

an even more ghoulish menace than I asked him why he did not put in central heating. He looked at is, after all, confined mainly to the period immediately after the game and usually evaporates pencefully in whisky-and-sods.

But the Cross-word Cross-talk is becoming ubiquitious. You can All over the country, painters get into a railway compartment with the odds standing at about 20

"Herbert, if you'd had any in-(Continued on Page 7.)



CLOSING SPEECHES AT CONFERENCE.

SIR TEJ SAPRU'S APPEAL FOR AN AMNESTY.

(Continued From Page 1.)

Practical Ideas.

When discussing the constitution-

The Dangers, ,

Friction and suspicion and dis-

like, all those evil demons that

British Trade Equality.

The Communal Problem.

It was a matter of regard that

Again, the just claims of the de-

Concluding, Lord Peel expressed

an carnest desire that their

labours, if not now, yet in months

to come, might bring peace and

"I trust that in the coming

months the seals may be affixed

to this new deed of partnership

between the two countries. May

the leaders of India be freed

from the fevers of non-co-opera-

tion and bend all their energies

to a furtherance of their great

Liberal Spokesman.

idea of Federation sprang into

Federation could not proceed

sibility, but felt it necessary to

and reservations be introduced.

constitution workable.

stipulate that certain safeguards

They had expressed plainly their

definite support for responsibility

at the centre provided the safe-

guards were adequate and the new

Ways of Progress.

Having expressed a desire for a.

Lord Reading said when the

constructive task."

security and goodwill to India.

clearly to be set out.

accorded.

be continued both here and in in approving or modifying the new Constitution. India

Brithin's Position. .

Report also says it is made clear | They had striven to give that British Government cannot, their ideas a practical and workwith any chance of agreement, im- ing form, and to avoid unnecespose a feature which would be mot sury complexities. by opposition. It was, therefore, plain that falling an agreement the separate electorates, with all by no desire to fetter Indian freetheir drawbacks, and difficul- dom but by the necessity of carrying out their Imperial responsibilities, would have to be retained as a basis of the electoral ties. It was imperative that while from the Conference. Firstly, the arrangements under the new Con- safeguards were necessary, the materialisation of the idea of an stitution. From this the question machinery for operating them All-India Federation, which was of proportions would arise. Under should be closely and clearly de- mainly due to the patriotic attitude these circumstances the claims of fined. There should be as little of the Indian Princes. The second the depressed classes would have to | doubt as possible what were the important idea, which from the

Agreement Desirable.

recommend that the Conference Parliament still wished to exercise had emerged, and which was an was desirable that an agreement All this was necessary to secure a ponsible government was upon the claims made should be working constitution. reached, and the negotiations continued with the result thereof to be reported to those engaged on the next stage of the negotiations,

THE FINAL PLENARY SESSION.

Maharajah Points a Moral.

The first speaker at the final plenary session was the Maharajah of Patinla who said the States wished to enter the federation as equal partners in a great and honourable enterprise under coneconomy and securing for their the Indian Ministers when he said ther Ireland, Australia or South people all the advantages of that for the present it would assist Africa, which had not been taken eltizenship in a mighty country.

"We join without hesitation in asking that our country should were so drawn as to give confiacquire that honourable status dence to every great commercial, within the Empire which can and financial community wherever alone satisfy the aspirations of her situated. sons. We have a great stake in the country. We should be the first to suffer if chaos and anarchy Again, in transferring power, the British Government could not were to ensue.

"Any administrative breakdown be indifferent to the interest of it could involve any political party He listened with surprise to the of the Federal Structure Sub-Com- Muhammed Shafi, Mr. Sastri, and should take his own life. He was in India would involve us far more those who had trusted to their proin Britain.

"If, after full consideration of ters on Friday to the complete, in mind our own position, our country, we are prepared to accept for ourselves, and to recommend to our brother princes. for' their acceptance, the arrangements which we have been devising during these many weeks, Britain will not be

slow in response." no settlement had yet been reachsatisfaction that the details of the difficulty. But it is manifest that general scheme would be worked unless a satisfactory agreement is out by bodies of both British and concluded, the success of any fu-Indians well versed in the sub-ture constitution must grayely be jects with a full knowledge of jeopardised. Indian conditions.

If the filling in of the picture pressed classes, of the Anglowas approached with the same Indian community and other goodwill apparent at the Confer- minorities, must be satisfied. ence, the hopes they entertained would not be disappointed.

Lord Peel's Speech.

Lord Peel said he thought the Conference had treated the subjects under debate with a high, dignity not unworthy of the great duties entrusted to it, and the discussions had been of the highest value in informing and shaping public opinion here, and probably in India.

The most outstanding act of the Conference had been the great change of opinion that had brought the conception of state of reality, and he paid a being, the whole aspect changed tribute to the enlightened action and the Liberal delegation theretaken by the Ruling Princes, whose upon studied the problem from a statesmanship and foresight in new angle. spite of the risks, and the possibility of sacrifices, had insist-unless the principle of responsibied on representation, both in lity at the centre was accepted. Cabinet and Legislature, in order Without it the Princes would not to contribute all their experience move towards Federation. True to of Government and administration Liberal traditions, they wished to to the control of subjects of com-travel in the direction of respon-

mon concern. Tribute to British India.

He paid a tribute also to the leaders of opinion in British India who had given their political

aspirations a Federal colour. Explaining the attitude of the *Conservative section of the British dolegates, he said they had tried to divest themselves of the passion for precedent, and had suggested protection for all minorities, Lord that the Conference might well Reading said he hoped consider the Swiss or the Ameri- when the British Indian delecan plan rather than the trans-gates returned they would be able ference wholesale of the British to convince their compatriots and

Parliamentary methods to Delhi. that India may then walk in the They put forward the idea that ways of constitutional progress and Provinces should add their ex- Great Britain will not be deterred possible. The Prime Minister tion Bills, in view of the general add anything to his statement. perience to that of this Conference from performing her duty or dis- then read the Government's state- desire of the House to create a Rester.

plause).

Appeal to Premier.

Sir Tej Badahur Sapru concluded with an eloquent appeal to the Prime Minister to take courage in both his hands and to release political prisoners in India. Let a new era be established, he said, and the struggle of the last few months would be forgotten.

At the outset, the Indian leader stressed the unanimity of feeling among the Indian delegates that they were leaving behind a friendly England, whose greatest statesmen came to talk on terms of equality. in a spirit of give and take and not al safeguards, they had been moved to dictate to Indians.

Three Main Achievements. Three central ideas had emerged be considered adequately. functions to be discharged by the point of view of British India was Indian Ministers, what were the of the highest importance, was the controls of the Viceroy, what was idea of responsibility at the centre. The Sub-Committee, therefore, the precise degree of authority The third important idea which come to defend herself.

Not Alarmed,

India, would rise again and multi- really intended in the interest of ply if through any lack of vision the responsible government they its aspects, if not in all, they failed to set out the limits of were establishing at the centre and authority. It was in the interests, not to strengthen the hands of not of mere authority, but of English control.

general confidence, that the pro- He was prepared for many tection for the minorities were doubts in India about the scheme, but he emphasised that there had including the problems of the mino-As regards Financial security, not been a single Constitution rities, and the various details of he was expressing no distrust of established in any Dominion, whethem, and would make their task exception to by a certain number easier, if the financial safeguards of people.

Conservative Change of Front

Sir Tej Sapru also referred the recent remarkable change that had taken place in the attitude of the British Conservative Party as | voiced by Lord Peel.

Chancellor, Lord Sankey, who was ing in England in a few days. reservations made in some quar- mittee.

all hands should be awarded to Sankey's scheme, one of whose their help, guidance and encouragemagnitude of our stake in the British traders and British Trade. merits was that it did not bolt the ment. He must make it clear that | tion.

their future attitude would deexpecting some such gesture. After speeches from other dele-

gates, a resolution adopting all the reports of the various com-Mrs. Subbarayan expressed ed on the great communal mittees was unanimously adopted. The resolution described the framing a constitution

India, embodying as they did a substantial agreement on the main ground plan, the Conference being of opinion also that arrangements should be made to pursue without interruption the work upon which the Conference had been engaged, including the provision in the Constitution of adequate, safeguards . for Mussulmans, the depressed classes, Sikhs and all other important minorities.

FINAL SCENES.

rose in the afternoon to deliver found. the most important speech of the day, winding up the historic Con- as is the volume of patient thought ference, journalists were for the and careful work still to be done, first time admitted to the drawing- you have opened a new chapter in room and to the adjoining salon, the history of India. where a microphone was fitted.

proceedings. by paying a handsome tribute to hopefully look forward to an outthe work of the Statutory Commis- come which will restore peace and sion headed by Sir John Simon, contentment, throughout India. later expressing regret at the ab- | Signed by his own hand, George sence of representatives of the R.I."

Indian Congress. He said he was one of those who believed that he who stirs enmity between peoples was not going to advance liberty in the world.

Not Pro-Anything.

the inclusion of safeguards in the Mr. Wedgwood Benn. Buch entegory was in every free Guards in an adjoining room entegory, which was necessary in "Auld Lang Syne." India's own interest, concerned finance and the existing services: a third related to the communities. He asserted that the Government was not pro-Hindu or pro-anything. He expressed pride in the fact that the gap between the Hindus and the minorities had

or violence. She can and will be proval of the Cabinet, and conwon, as she hopes to win India, by cluded by expressing the Governsympathy, goodwill and co-opera- ment's hearty appreciation of the tion, by working together as will- services rendered by the delegates ing partners in the best interests and remarked that personal conof India and the Empire. (Ap- tact was the best way of removing differences and misunderstandings.

Active Goodwill.

"His Majesty's Government," he said "would strive to secure such an amount of agreement as would enable the new Constitution to be passed through the British Parliament and to be put countries, (Applause.).

In the review of the labours of the various sub-committees, the Premier said the Government proposed immediately to study them most carefully in order to face who, in addition to owning this the problems they presented.

Tej Sapru regarding an amnesty, in Sussex. with which he expresed sympathy. he said that if Sir Tej Sapru's appeal to India was responded to and civil quiet was proclaimed, he could rest assured that the Government would not be backward in responding to a plea which many of his collengues endorsed, and he (Mr. MacDonald) endorsed.

Agrees With Lord Peel.

He agreed with Lord Peel's reshould register the opinion that it through the Secretary of State, integral idea of systems of res- mark that British constitutional the trigger became caught in somethat I machinery should not be regarded thing and fired the weapon. India must be prepared in years to 1 as the only successful plant. The types and methods in various parts of the world would be studi- knocked down and killed a nineed, and he quoted in this He was not alarmed by the connexion, Japan, where he said, hind another vehicle. This had they would like to banish from proposed safeguards which were the type of government was of very Igreat interest, especially in some of

Some of the conditions of the working of the new Constitution found his employer's body, had had been practically agreed by the Conference but he pointed out the falling. many important ones outstanding,

To Confer With New Viceroy.

bureaucracy in either country. He ed by narrow slits in the walls, hoped the British Parliamentary and rare old volumes of parchparties would continue to co- ment and pieces of ancient armour to operate in further negotiations and were to be seen. explorations. He appealed for a l continuance of frank and candid and on the doctor's orders may expression of opinion, and added see no one," a member of the that he proposed to confer with the household said: He paid a tribute to the wisdom new Viceroy (Lord Willingdon) and statesmanship of the Lord immediately. He would be arriv-

the Begum Shah Nawaz, spoke quite happy. He went to shoot He appealed to his countrymen in thanking Mr. Ramsay MacDonald "If, after full consideration of equality of treatment which he in mind our own position, our had understood it was agreed on the improvement of Lord Conservatives and Liberals, for

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald briefly replied thanking them, saying that Appealing to the Premier for the there was still much work to be pend upon such equality being release of political prisoners, he done. He hoped that all would be declared that his countrymen were spared to see it substantially ad-] vanced.

King's Message.

The Prime Minister then read a message from His Majesty the King, replying to a loyal message reports as affording material of expressing gratitude for the Royal the highest value for use in Fayour so graciously bestowed and the inspiration of the King's personal association with the pro-

The King replied: "I have followed your proceedings with the closest interest and have been impressed with the dignity and earnestness with which they have been conducted, and with the unity of aim which has inspired

"It was not to be expected that in nine short weeks, however close and intensive a labour was crowded into them, a clear cut and final solution of the vast problems When Mr. Ramsay MacDonald which confronted you, should be

"But I am persuaded that great

"I am sure that you will one and Talkies were installed in the all strive to secure the aid of your drawing-room to record the final countrymen in carrying on the task in the same spirit that has The Prime Minister commenced marked your discussions, and I

Conference Ends.

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald then declared the Conference adjourned sine dic.

The delegates gave three hearty cheers of the King Emperor, the editor's decision is final," Referring to the necessity for Prime Minister, Lord Sankey and Constitution, he said that one The band of the Coldstream you of the time when I got 'Won on

constitution in the world; another played "God Save the King" and | -Router and British Wireless. -. " etc.

INDIAN ASSEMBLY. Creating a Receptive Atmosphere.

New Delhi, Jan. 19. been much narrowed and culogised Crerar, the . Home Member, an- the opposition, urged the suspen-Provinces should at once be put Riots, he added, cause terrorism the Princes for the magnificent nounced that the Government had sion of the Press and Unlawful Ininto action so that the views of and anarchy and lead only to part they had played in making a decided to postpone consideration stigation Ordinances, as well. Sir Constitution based on federation of the Press and Unlawful Instign- James Crerar said he was unable to

SHOT DEAD.

POLICE THEORY OF TRIGGER MISHAP.

PEER'S COUSIN.

Hythe, Dec. 18. Just as the bell of Saltwood Castle, near Hythe, rang for teal yesterday afternoon, the owner of ino operation with the active this accident fortress, which dates godwill of the people of both back to the fifth century, was found lying shot dead in a spinney close to the broken ivy-covered

The dead man is Captain Reginald Lawrence Lawson, aged 38, stately eastle, had also bought the Referring to the plea of Sir ancient eastle of Hurstmoneceux

> Captain Lawson, who is a cousin of Lord Burnham and had married a young American wife, had been shooting pigeons in the spinney on the castle. There was a wound in the left side of his head and a gun was by his side.

The police, who have reconstructed the tragedy, believe that | the captain was climbing on the fence with the loaded gun when

About ten days ago, Captain Lawson, when driving his car, year-old girl who ran from benaturally depressed him, although at the inquest it was shown that.

the affair was a pure accident. The gardener, Mr. Turner, who heard shots and had seen pigeons

I called at the castle to-day and I found guards placed at the old postern gates so that Mrs. Lawson might have privacy in her I was shown into a stone cham-

This work must not be left to ber in the old keep. It was light-

"Mrs. Lawson is ill with grief

"We feel sure that Captain Lawson's death was a pure accident. He has left no letters and The Maharajah of Patialia, Sir there was no reason at all why he becoming a nuisance.'

A villager who lives on the estate said: "Captain Lawson was a jovial man and well liked. He had been chatting with one of the gardeners not long before the ac-

Historic Home.

Saltwood Castle was built in 488 by Escus, King of Kent, and 11 was rebuilt by the Normans in 1080. Here the knights of King Henry II. rested when they came from France to Canterbury to kill Thomas a'Becket in the Cathe-

Captain Lawson, an enthusias tic antiquary, bought the castle in 1926, and personally superintended the many improvements carried out

A year ago he bought Hurstmonceux Castle, which was restored by the late Colonel Claude Lowther.

This estate was offered at auction before Captain Lawson bought it. The highest bid was £35,000, and as the reserve price had been fixed at £65,000, it was withdrawn.

It is expected that the inquest will be held to-morrow.

CROSS-WORD POST-MORTEMS.

(Continued from Page 6.)

have been anything else but 'Almanac.' " "But it wasn't 'Almanac."

"Wasn't-but it fitted my solution perfectly." "Well, here's the result. It was 'Portmanteau.'"

want with a portmantenu? "To carry consignments honour when abroad. I suppose." "Fatuous. I call it an unfair decision. What did you put for it?" "'Beard.' But it says here the

"What on earth does a prophet

"The editor's decision is-" "But doesn't this puzzle remind "By gad, yes. That was a puzzle, that was. I remember

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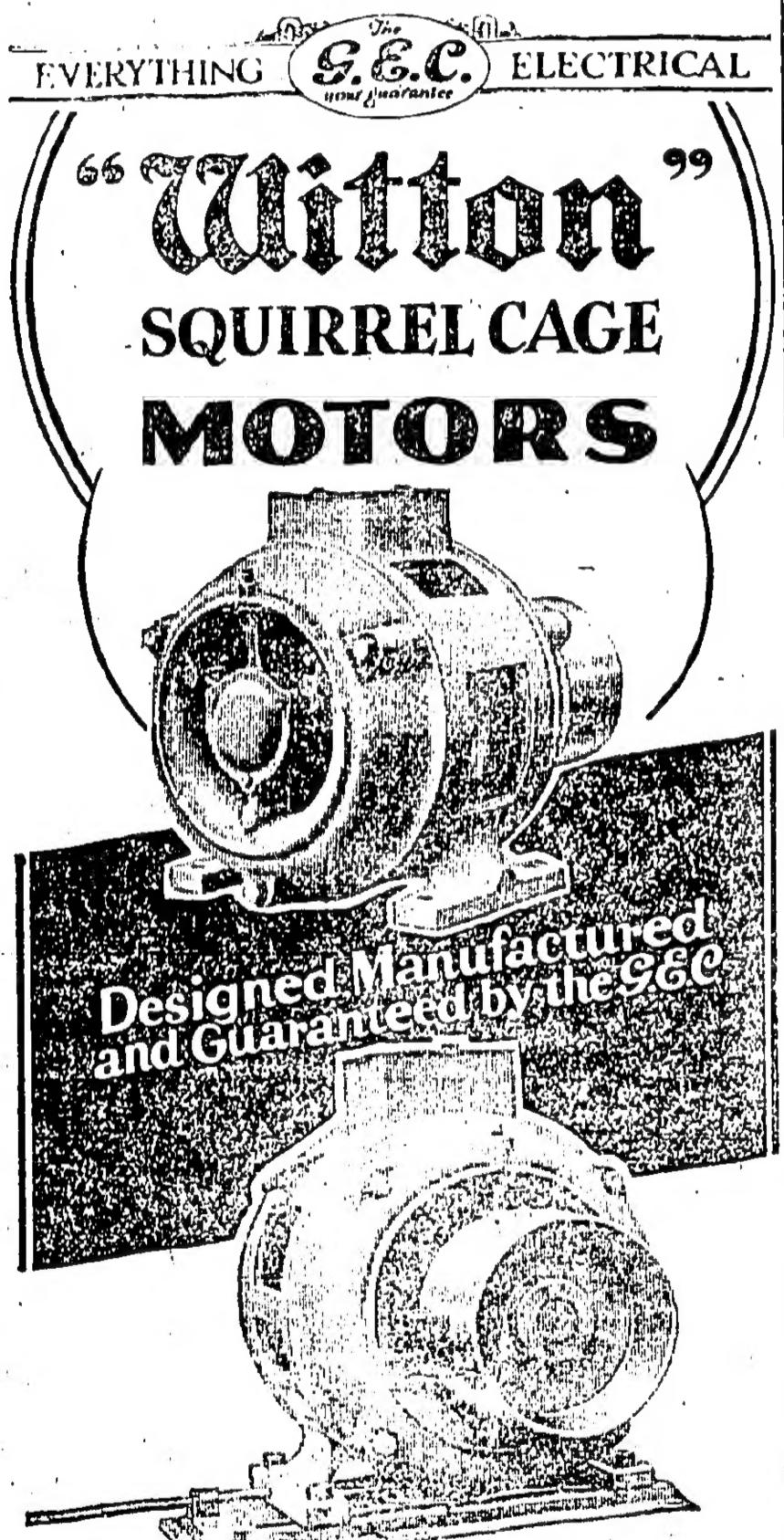
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AMERICA WINS TRIANGULAR GOLF TOURNEY.

Canton, Jan. 19. tournament played here yesterday. O'Kane, daughter of Mrs. E. M. E. R. Hill won the only point for O'Kane, of Park Lane Mansions, England when he beat McNeary Sydney, Australia, became the bride by 4 and 3 in the singles round, of Mr. Sverre Odmund Berg, the the scores were as follows:-

Singles. Dugan beat Batchelor 3 & 2. Sandstrom beat Watson 8 & 7. McNenry lost to HIII/4 & d. Manning bent Annett 4 & 3:

Doubles. Dugan and Gilman bent Batchefor and Foster-Hall 4 & 3. HIII and Hunt 3 & 2.

Watson and Annett 2 up. America thus wins the tourna-Ovr Own Correspondent.

SUGAR MARKET.

THE LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS.

at the close of the sugar market: yesterday have been received by Fanling where the honeymoon is be- cently sung, "Abide With Me," al-Meesrs, Pentreath and Co.:

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io buvers above 6/-, presented at the Conference in Hill, London. Curtailment Scheme. Sugar few friends. Circles here appear optimistle,

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"NOT GOOD AT FIGURES."

London, Dec. 20, Mr. Herbert Morrison. Minister of Transport, speaking at Hendon esterday, said:---

state as to certain Tigures that he economists and business men."

LOCAL WEDDINGS.

TWO SOLEMNISED AT THE PEAK CHURCH.

An extremely pretty wedding America defeated England by 11 was solemnised yesterday in the points to 1 in the triangular golf Peak Church when Miss Tui only son of Mr. and Mrs. Berg. The bridegroom is well-known in Hongkong, and the bride a popular mem-

ber of Sydney Society. The Rev. T. G. Waldegrave of-

Sandstrom and McNeary bent in place her long veil of cut tulle, ing to the insistent demands. Her IIII and Hunt 3 & 2. trimmed with silver lame, and she contributions were of a delightful-Manning and Robertson bent carried a sheaf of gladiolas as the ly varied character, and she show-

gilt basket of larkspur.

trimmed with fur,

home of Mrs. James Ralston, where final encores, which struck a very The following cabled quotations the bride's mother received the popular note. These were The guests, and later the couple left for Lost Chord," which was magnifiing spent, the bride's travelling ways a favourite, and "Frees," dress being of a brown crepe romain which was given with great depth worn with a stone marten fur. of understanding, They were the recipients of a large number of handsome and useful

Sleap, of the Union Insurance tion. Samarang 19/1/31. -- Unasso- Society of Canton. He is the third

Europe and it is not expected they | The marriage was very quietly will oppose legislation to enforce solumnised, being attended by a

> wanted from the Treasury, his theory being that if he found out how much had actually passed through the Treasury on unemployment works, he could say how many men were at work to-day under Government-assisted schmes.

> "This is sheer nonsense, and Mr. Bloyd George must know that it is

people, including the corner boy of ed its appreciation of their visit. "Apparently Mr. Lloyd George- the Conservative Front Bench, Sir and I make no complaint-is to re- Kingsley Wood, want the Govern-

DAME CLARA BUTT'S RECITAL.

WONDERFUL OVATION GIVEN LAST NIGHT

A crowded audience at the Theatre Royal last night gave a wonderfully enthusiastic reception to Dame Clara Butt and Mr. Kennerly Rumford when they gave their second recital in Hongkong. His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel were again

Seldom have we seen such deficiated and Mr. R. Johanessen was monstrations of approval as were witnessed when, time and again, Gilman beat Hunt 2 up.

Given away by Mr. James Rals- the audience clamoured for more Robertson beat Foster-Hall 1 up. ton. the bride, a beautiful as the famous contracto bowed her girl, looked picturesque in a long acknowledgements of the warm lace close fitting gown of white satin, with orange blossom twisted disappointment, either, for Dame into a simple coronet, which held Clara was most liberal in respond-

ed that she still has extraordin-The bridesmaid was Miss June ary vocal powers, whilst her inment, having defeated Scotland in Ralston, who looked pretty in a terpretations revealed her as the December by 8 points to 4 .- frock of butter-cup satin and frilled true artist she is. Opinions will cap of gold tissue, and carried a naturally vary as to which were har best items, but outstanding The bride's mother was attired numbers were Beethoven's "Creain a lido-blue dress with that to tion's Dream." "Were You There?". match, and carried a sheaf of (a beautiful negro spirituelle). flowers, while Mrs. James Ralston and "The Leaves and the Wind," wore a beige satin cont and skirt, the last-named being very daintily

lsung. She undoubtedly made her The reception was held at the biggest appeal, however, in her

Mr. Kennerley Rumford was best in his lighter numbers amongst which the Irish Airs. Mr. S. A. Sleap. Miss W. E. Dakin. "Gentle Maiden" and "Billy Boy," A second wedding took place at a delightful sea shanty, were finethe Peak Church yesterday, when ly, given. We liked him also in Miss Winitred Edna Dalan, nursing the old favourite; "The Sands of sister at the Kowloon Hospital, and Dee," and in "King Charles," in youngest daughter of the late Mr. the latter of which he showed some and Mrs. Frederick Dakin, of Sut- of his old-time verve and vigor. ton Bridge, Lincolnshipe, England, All his songs were sung in faultwas married to Mr. Sidney Alfred less style, with perfect enuncia-

At the close, Dame Clara and her cinted Mills were indirectly re- son of Mrs. T. A. Sleap, Stamford husband were associated in two lvery happily-rendered duets-"Love Has Come to Stay" and the ever-popular "The Keys of Heaven." The last named had to be repeated before the audience would be satisfied.

A word must be said of the charming manner in which Miss Cicely Murray accompanied. whilst her solo numbers were also most artistically rendered.

The evening will live long in the memories of those present. and the distinguished vocalists must have been delighted with the manner in which Hongkong show-

serve and exercise the right to ment, instead of getting on with its Alexander Zubkov, the young seize on every possible opportunity work, to switch off work schemes Russian adventurer who gained a attacking the Labour Govern- and devote itself to the collection of brief notoriety as the husband of the elderly Princess Victoria of ment. In those circumstances he illusory statistics.

will realise that if he has the right "After all, Mr. Lloyd George is Prussia, the ex-Kaiser's sister, is to attack we have a right to coun- not good at figures to-day, any more reported, to be mentally deranged, ter-attack and defence. than he was at the time he fixed He has been working as a waiter "On Friday, as on Tuesday, he the German reparations in defiance in Luxembourg, and is said to be worked himself up_ into a great of the advice he received from the suffering from the delusion that he is reigning prince.

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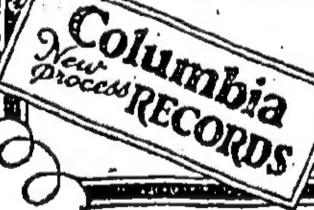
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BEGIN HERR TODAY.

dered at a bridge party, he orders the guests to take the places they held during the playing of the "death hand," when Nita was killed, called upon Clive Hammond and only guest missing.

Plora Miles says she was in the guests' pany, her....
Plora Miles says she was in the guests' pany, her....

"Do you know, Miss Benle, why the floor of Nita's closet, proving she is lying. Ralph Hammond did not keep his a note sent to Nita, which she thinks is from engagement with Mrs. Selim this her husband. Nita comes in while she is in the closet, and Flora, hearing a hang or hump. fears she is to be discovered, and faints, re- to appear for cocktails and to be covering consciousness when Karen Marshall Miss Crain's partner for the rest Dunder, finding it sumpleious that Clive of the evening-dinner and dance servams on discovering the budy, -Hammond stayed in the solarium with Polly at the Country Club?" Beale, his finance, instead of coming in to speak to his hostess when he arrived, asks him when he tast saw his finance prior to the party. Hammond refuses to reply, but Dundee ears he knows the answer.

CHAPTER XIII

"Then why ask me?" Hammond you in the solarium upon your arshrugged, but his red-brown eyes rival?" flickered toward Polly Beale,

"I thought perhaps you could give me a little additional informa- A shade too much anger and tion," Dundee soothed him. "You emphasis. Dandee decided. And see, it happens that I saw you, Miss he wished heartily that Strawn's Beale and another young man come detectives would not delay much into the Stuart House dining room longer in bringing the missing about half-past one today, just when young man into this already inwas thinking of lunch for my- volved examination. self."

Hammond," Polly Beale cut in shall screamed." Dundee continued. brusonely.

"Your decision to lunch with your fiancee and his brother was keenly, but again they were wellquite a sudden one?" Dundee asked bred, expressionless. It was Polly courteously. "Just when did you! change your mind about Mrs. Selim's luncheon party at Brenk- but I am afraid we were not listenaway lan, Miss Beale?"

nish cropped chestnut "There is nothing at all sinister or even queer about it. Mr. Dundee! I was on my way to the luncheon, when I decided to drive past Nifa's house, on the chance that she littely!" might like me to drive her over.

"Then you didn't know that Mrs. I Dunlap had already arranged to meet Mrs. Selim downtown this then?" morning and to take her to the Inn?" Dundee asked, with his curb in front of the house," Tracey greatest casualness.

rangement," Polly answered decid-"You were a close friend of Mrs. | "Now, Judge Marshall--"

Selim's, perhaps?" Dandee prodded, keep me from doing my hostess a unteered pompously. "Chap named courtesy. . . . It was about a quar- Sampson. You may have heard of ter to one when I got here, I him--fine fellow, a good lawyer, should say. Nita wasn't here, nor We played billiards together at the was her maid, but I saw Ralph's Athletic Club, and when I was car parked in front of the house-" about to call a taxi-my wife hav-

Polly continue. rang and he answered the the exact time, did not consult my

door. Said he was alone in the watch." house, going over the premises at Judge Marshall's request," Polly into the house, Judge Marshall?" said evenly.

room and bath, and a guest room you damned please!" and bath added to the living quar- "I think we are all getting a talked for awhile, before we came camera. ters already completed. I gave the little too tired, Mr. Dundee," Penny in and joined Tracey and Lois in least, to the Hammond firm, of her weariness, course, since they had built the "I'm truly sorry," the young de flared suddenly, "I don't see why

together an estimate on additional right?" furnace lines and radiators, electric

gry and charged me with giving less than his usual nastiness, him too little of my time-the usual "And saw no one running away thing. I picked up Nita's phone, across the meadows?" Dundee called Clive and made the date for pressed. the three of us. Then I called . "No one at all," Drake retorted. back to Hamilton."

clever, almost plain face for a long no one." minute. Certainly Polly Beale did . "Thank you, Mr. Drake. . . . not look like a liar-but he would Now-Mr. Sprague, 'of New have taken his oath she was lying York." now. Or rather not revealing the Sprague's nervously twitching real truth behind the actual facts face reddened darkly. "I-I took of her, movements that day. For a bus. I have no car of my own. instance, could a simple plea of I got off the bus on Sheridan Road, her future brother-in-law make her at the entrance to Primrose Menddo so discourteous a thing as to ows." break a luncheon appointment, es- . "I see. And you walked the quarpecially when such a course would ter of a mile to this house?". not only disappoint her hostess and Sprague's hand fundled with his her friends, but disarrange the cravat. "I--of-course I did!" seating plan of a rather formal "I sec. . . Now, Miss Ray-

party? nobvious. She had wanted, first, to went very white bereath her see Nita and remonstrate privately freckles, "you observed Mr. Sprague with her for having so involved toiling down the rutty read, het and Ralph Hammond, when he was weary, but romantic in the sunset?" tacitly known to "belong" to Penny , Mrs. Drake let out a nervous gig-Failing that, she had found Ralph mouth. himself, and had not expected to "I-I wasn't looking that way," find him; had talked with him Janet Raymond stammered.

animament and a second about Nita, had quarrelled a bit When special investigator Dundee is sum- with him, perhaps, over his bemoned to the house of Juanita Sellm, mur- haviour. And the crisis had become Ralph Hammond, in love with Nita, is the then had forced Ralph to accom-

afternoon? Or rather, his promise

"I do not!" Polly said criaply. "Hammond?"

"Neither do I," Hammond retorted angrily. ."Then it was not to discuss Ralph Hammond and his-affairs, that you beckoned Miss Beale to meet

"It--was not?"

"You say that you both were in "The mysterious other young the solarium from the time of your man' was Clive's brother, Ralph arrival, Hammond, until Mrs. Mar-"Just what did you see and hear?

Dundee watched their faces Beale who answered: "Naturally there was not a deathless silence. ing. We were rather engressed in The tall girl threw up her man-four conversation. We were scated near no windows-and I for one saw nothing, as well as heard noth-

ling that I can recall." "That goes for me, too abso-

Abruptly abandoning the engaged couple, Dundee turned to Miles. "You were the second arrival

"Yes. I parked my car along the answered readily. "And I came "Not I didn't hear of the ar- [right on in, and Nita jumped up-"Yes, We've had all that twice before," Dundee interrupted cruelly.

"One of my friends gave me a "Not at all! But that would not lift from town," Judge Marshall vol-"Ralph Hammond's car?" a ing the car here--he offered to drop woman squealed, but Dundee let me here on his way to the Country Club, . . . N-no, I don't remember

"Certainly, sirt"

"That's right -- that's right!" "You mean, sir, did anyone see walking up the flagstone path?" on the occasion was abused by mem- Rita La Roy, recently recruited Judge Marshall agreed hastily, me?" Judge Mashall demanded Dundee persisted, for he knew she bers of the crowd, who absented them- from the stage, appears opposite La "Nita-Mrs. Selim-wanted the un- with pompous indignation. "No, no was lying, knew that she had sta- selves long after the call to proceed. Rocque as Bydra, the cale dancer, "Nita—Mrs. Selim-wanted the un- with pompous indignation. No, no was lying, knew that she had sta- one man was particularly flagrant, into whose love affairs Lastro pokes finished half of the gabled top me, sir! If my word is not good tioned herself there to watch for for he missed one shot altogether, his attractive villain's nose. Her story finished up. Wanted a maid's enough for you, you can think what Sprague.

commission, for an estimate, at Crain suggested, almost humble in the dining room, where Tracey was

house originally for Crain-Penny's tective applogized. "But I can't you have to badger all of us, when leave things like this. . . Mr. it must have been Lydia, the maid, "I see," Dundee agreed. "And Drake, you have said you walked who killed Nita, because-" you sent your brother, Mr. Ham- over from the Country Club. You must have approached the house Penny cried furiously. "He was the natural one to send," from the driveway side, the side Clive Hammond retorted. "Small of the house which contains Mrs: job. All he had to do was to get Scim's bedroom. . . . is that

wiring, plumbing, plastering, etc." |. "More or less, except that I "Go on, Miss Beale," Dundee di- skirted that house rather widely and arrived from the road, stepping "Thanks!" There was sureasm in upon the front porch, and walking her brusque voice. "But that's directly into the hall. I saw no really about all I have to tell, one outside or near the house when Ralph complained that he was hun- | arrived," Drake answered, with

Breakaway Inn, cancelled the "I wish to God I could truthfully luncheon part of the bridge party say that I saw a gunman, with a with Nita, and Ralph and I drove mask and a smoking revolver, skulking through the wildflowers, Dundee studied her strong, but the absolute truth is that I saw

mond," Dundee pounced unexpect-Of course the explanation was edly, so that the red-haired girl

Crain-one of the sacred crowd. gle, then clapped her hand over her

SHARE PRICES.

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS.

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

Banks. Hongkong Bank, \$2020 b. Chartered Bank, £161/4 b. Mercantile A. & B., £26 n. East Asia \$116 b.

Insurances. Canton Ins., \$1,300 n. Union Ins., \$605 s. North China Ins., Tla. 160 b. China Underwriters, \$3.15 b. Yangtaze Ins., \$50 n. China Fires, \$475 b. H. K. Fire Ins., \$1300 sa.

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Miscellaneous. Amusements, \$23 1/4 b. Constructions, \$5.20 b. B' que Ind. G. Bonds, \$671/2% 11.

prised when Mr. Sprague came It was regrettable, that his kindness taining performances of his career.

mixing cocktails. . . . But," "Oh, Janet! Shame on you!"

(To be continued).

CINEMA NOTES.

"ONE MAD KISS" AT THE QUEEN'S.

A sensational "find" flashed acros the nudible acreen of the Queen Theatre on Sunday when "One Ma-Kiss," Fox Movietone musical roman tic success had its premier local show ing. This new screen luminary Don Jose Mojica, brilliant ar magnetic young Spanish grand tenor known to opera and concert goes only, heretofore. He has the golden lyrical voice of a second Caruso. registers every tone us clear as bell. Coupled with his voice superlative good looks, a winning smile and a personality that fairl

radiates the clusive "it." Closely following Mejica in the rac for honours were Mona Maria, forme UFA star who revealed a beautif mezzo soprano voice as well as ability to execute the typical Spani dance with the grace and verve of veteran; Tom Patricola, famous das cing eccentric of musical comed vaudeville and screen, and Anton Moreno, former matinee idol of the silent films who establishes himself an an outstanding performer in clever system of signals for the music

"talkles." Mojica has the role of a romantic

final fadeout. and "Behind the Mask" by Joe Mc- the steward, her swain being left to Carthy and James Monaco, are three his own devices. such songs.

Troy Sanders has provided a wealth of characteristic Spanish music which supplies a perfect accompaniment for the mood of the story.

"One Mad Kiss" is a distinctive Theatre.

contribution to the audible screen which will undoubtedly register as different talkie with this story by to be obtained on application. one of the season's best romantic Wallace Smith. It is the first sea musical treats.

"Atlantic's" Magnificent Ballroom.

sequences in E. A. Dupont's "At- thrills. lantic," showing at the Queen's tomorrow, was creeted in the old silent finding sufficient space for it in the therefore, to blanket not only the sides of the set, but also the roof. From a technical point of view, the result was entirely satisfactory, but vagabond. He seizes a millionaire's

The sequences comprised a series Sidney Clare. of long shots right up the ball-room showing the erchestra under the baton of John Reynders, Inte of the Tivoli, on a dais at the far end. Shots and excerpts as heard in different parts

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to swell or diminish.

Charles Rosher was lucky in that political outlaw, banished from into the orchestra made it unnecessary native province by a tyrannical dicta- for the camera to be put into a soundtor. He, however, proves a thorn in box, especially as he was still feeling the side of his enemy, and the conflict weak as the result of an accident in between them becomes particularly which his motor was rammed by a business transacted. bitter when Mojica falls in love with two-senter driven by a man with How Mojica finally accomplishes arising out of the ballroom concerns the overthrow of Moreno, the dictator, a young miss who, feeling bored, reand wins the dancer, played by Mona tires to her cabin to write to her Maris, provides a highly entertain- flance, and describes how terribly she ing story that holds interest to the misses him. Happening to look up, she catches the comehitherish eyes of in nature, rather than of the popular accordance with the best Dupont ballad type. At that, however, several principles, that the sticky lurch when of the songs undoubtedly will prove the liner kissed the iceberg was popular successes, as they have a not even noticed by the young couple. Alexandria haunting quality to their melodies Indeed, the first intimation they got Batavla that lingers in your consciousness long was the coming of the steward to Rombay after you have heard them, "One Mad fetch some lifebelts which happened Kiss" and "Oh! Where Are You" to be stored in the particular cabin. by Don Jose Mojica and Troy Sanders The lass was shoo-ed on the deck by

."The Delightful Rogue."

"Ah, the hero enters on his cue!" Thus Rod La Rocque, strumming his guitar with languid fingers, sets Hamburg Direction by Marcel Silver is sun or the tempo-and the satire--- of "The Hankow istive while the photography by Delightful Rogue," a awashbuckling Barbin Caurles Van Ebger is of unusual | yarn of a modern pirate in the tropica, | which opened yesterday at the Central Honolain

Radio Pictures has turned out a picture in sound and it is the first time the sound camera has taken a tongue-in-the cheek attitude about The set for the ballroom drama and had fun with its own

Lest it be thought that "The Delightful Rogue" is morely a high-hat studios, owing to the difficulty in full of subtleties, it should be mention-the movies. Rod La Rocque la Lastro, a Latin

heat was terrible. Dupont was most As a 1929 pirate, whose pyjamas extend to our clients special facilities for cies taken at rates that may be as-"You came directly from the road not on the porch for a not the house, Judge Marshall?"

just went out on the porch for a non-decoration of the house, Judge Marshall?"

just went out on the porch for a non-decoration of the house, Judge Marshall?"

just went out on the porch for a non-decoration of the column conductor, with a radio in his other Public Funds of the Chinese Government as he nossibly could by breaking off cabin and ten every afternoon. In "And you were completely sur- for several minutes after every shot. Rocque gives one of the most enter-

although his position and business voice has an unusual appeal. She "I-yes. I was! He stopped and had been right in the lens of the introduces the romantic theme song, "Gny Love," by Oscar Levant and

Charles Byer, Harry Somels, Ed Brady and Bert Moorehouse round out the supporting cast with capable performances. "The Delightful Rogue" records were made of several dances, was directed by A. Leslie Pearce and so as to provide material for various Lynn Shores. The adaptation and dialogue of the film were written by of the liner, to accord with the action Smith from his own original Cosmoof the story. For this purpose, Smith from his own original Cosmo Dupont and Reynders arranged a politan story, "A Woman Decides."

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RECORD ENTRIES FOR BOTH SINGLES AND DOUBLES.

There is a record entry for the two open lawn tennis championships which are due to commence on February 9 next. In the singles no fewer than 79 names have been sent in, while 49 pairs have signified their intention of competing in the doubles. | ed at the Naval Yard on Sunday.

In both events the holders are defending their titles, while the usual names of the more formidable players | Yard R.C.) bent S. M. Paul and Q. M. appear in the lists together with S. Anderson 6-3, 6-3; beat S. M. Mitseveral newcomers. T. Honda, the chell and Sgt. Amrold 6-1, 6-3; drew holder, S. A. Rumjahn, Ng Sze-kwong with Capt, de Linde and S. M. Atkinand M. W. Lo are the more prominent son 6-3, 1-6. in the singles; while the doubles have attracted the Rumjahn cousins, who have won the event for the past number of years, M. W. and M. K. Lo. C. A. L. Rumjahn and J. A. E Cassumbhoy, and the Fincher bro-

Open Singles. T. Akivama, Feroz All, J. H. Anderson, R. Choa, H. N. Chan, J. A. Cassumbhoy, Chan So, Chlu Chunchlu. D. W. Deane, W. F. Edge, Capt. E. C. Etherington, E. C. Fincher, E. F. Fincher, F. Grose, S. E. Green, D. S. Green, L. Goldman, Ho Kadan, E.Z. H. Y. Ho, C. E. Hanwell, A. D. Humphreys, W. C. Hung, T. Honda (holder), Ho Wal-hing, Surg. Com. H. Harkins, C. E. Holmes, W. J. Howard, In Tak-chenk, In Tak-lam.

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Open Doubles.

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A. O. Johnson & J. D. Ainger, F. H. Kwok & H. N. Chan, Lee Wai-tsoi & Lee Woon-tsoi, S. W. Liang & H. W. where the dog, a medium-sized thirty-one, chief mathematics and Chan, M. K. and M. W. Lo, Horace brown terrier, apparently a stray, physics master of Whitgift Lo'& In Tak-chenk, Luk Ding-cheung | mounted the 'bus and climbed' to Grammar School, Yorkshire, 'has & Luk Kang-cheung, W. T. Lee & the top deck. The conductor at-Paul Kong, J. W. Leonard & G. Lia, Lieut, Col. J. G. Leeky & Capt. W. M. Morgan, Dr. J. H. Montgomery & L. to leave the matter to the police. will retire next Easter. Forster, Ng Kam-chuen & Tsol Ping- to leave the matter to the police, will retire next Easter. nam, G. A. Noronha & L. A. da Rocha, Accordingly the 'bus continued on E. T. E. Nash & Sarg. Lieut, C. B. its way-and the top deck was Nicholson.

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H.M. DOCKYARD AND ARMY TEAM DRAW.

In a return tennis match between H. M. Dockyard Recreation Club and an Army team, the result was a draw of nine sets each, although the Army players secured 81 games to their opponents' 80. The match was play-

The scores were:

L. Luck and J. Pengelly (Dock

R. B. Jackson and R. B. Hambly (Dockyard R.C.) beat Paul and Anderson 6-4, 6-3; drew with Mitchell and Amroid 2-6, 6-2; drew with de Linde and Atkinson 6-1, 3-6.

G. Burnett and H. Crabbe lost to The full lost of entries is appended: Paul and Anderson 5-7, 7-9; lost to will be subject to rent. Mitchell and Amroid 1-6; 4-6; lost to de Linde and Atkinson 1-6, 2-6,

LOCAL YACHTING.

THE SEVENTH LADIES' CHAMPIONSHIP.

The seventh Ladies' Championship yacht racing event was sailed yesterday, the course being .- (1) Kowloon Rock (S), (2) Channel Rocks (S). (3) Mark on Line (S), (4) Channel Rocks (S). Distance, 7.4 miles. The results were as follow:

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DOG HOLDS THE FORT

BUS TOP EPISODE FROM TOOTING TO CHISWICK.

London, Dec. 22.

The remarkable behaviour of a London last night resulted in the for the dog to be ejected.

quickly cleared of passengers. On arrival at Chiswick the con-

ductor called a policeman, who, after several attempts to move the dog, gave up, and the bus was driven to Chiswick police station, R. Sayer & A. B. Raworth, Y. Segalen where it required the combined & M. Zimmern, A. J. da Silva & A. A. efforts of several police officers to & remove the unwanted "passenger."

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A distressing accident occurred to a small British boy yesterday. according to police reports. It appears that while playing in the street at Kowloon, Robert Vincent, aged eight years, had his arm severely incerated, and is in Kowloon Hospital in a serious condition.

The son of Lance Corporal Vincent of the South Wales Borderers, the child was with a number of other children playing round a P.W.D. motor roller, being used in the construction of a new road alongside Wing Lok Building. The police have been unable to discover exactly how the child came to have its arm caught in the machine, but according to the driver, he was in reverse gear when he heard screams, and stopping immediately, discovered that the boy's right arm was imprisoned. Great difficulty was experienced in extricating it.

The limb was severely lacerated to the shoulder, and the child was taken to the hospital, where an operation was immediately performed. He is reported to be in an extremely critical condition.

The story began at Tooting]. Mr. Leonard Charles Soar,

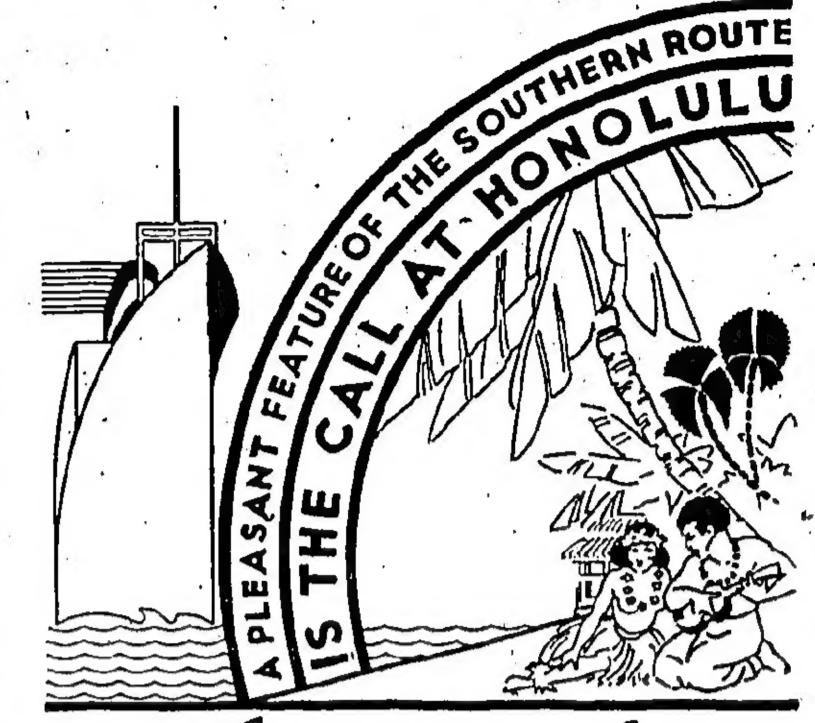
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ALLEGED ROBBER WARNED BY JUDGE ON ACQUITTAL.

a retirement of 25 minutes, the jury gave Wan Linyau the benefit of the doubt on a time being saved by a proposal of charge of robbery at the Criminal Mr. Henderson, the president, Sessions yesterday afternoon, be- discontinue the practice of the read- and subsequent discoveries resultfore the Pulsne Judge (Mr. Jus- ing of long reports by the rapportice Jacks). In discharging the teur. Only the resolutions append. tion. man, His Lordship warned him as ed to reports will be read in future. to his future conduct.

it was alleged, after a lapse of Sir Arthur Salter and Mr. Hans to two years, and was charged with advise on the reform of Chinese having taken part in a robbery finances, and the organisation of aboard a sampan in Yaumati the inland waterways. Refuge on October 29, 1928, Two other men, who jumped overhoard Council was happy to learn of this when an alarm was raised, were application from China, and the offence.

case was that the arrest was effect ary 20, when the report of the Preted by Tac On, the Chinese detec- paratory Disarmament Commission | ago. tive who was shot dead by alleged will come up. Communists in a Yaumati restaurant on December 8.

with stealing a purse containing calendar,-Reuter. \$140 in money and a gold ring, and a plea of not guilty was entered.

of the robbery but explained that Prisoner alleged that the charge and recaded that Lo Shing, com- would not lend the money. His of a child newly-born. plainant's husband, called on him wife corroborated his evidence.

CHINA'S FINANCES.

LEAGUE AGREES TO LOAN OF EXPERTS.

Geneva, Jan. 19.

The League Council's proceedings have been most expeditious, much

The Council agreed to the Chi-Prisoner was brought to book, nese application for the services of

Mr. Henderson observed that the tried and sentenced soon after the interest the Chinese Government was taking in the League.

An interesting feature of the The Council adjourned to Janu-

Prisoner was formally charged conference on reform of

CHILD MURDERED BY STRANGULATION.

TWO MONTHS' OLD AFFAIR SUBJECT OF ENQUIRY.

An enquiry was held by Mr. Lindsell, at the Central Magis-tracy, yesterday afternoon, touchto ing the death of a Chinese baby

Mr. P. P. J. Wodehouse, C.I.E.

Deputy Inspector-General Police, replying to the Magistrate, said he was watching the proceedings on bohalf of the Police.

Evidence was given by a weman employed as a sweeper at the Botanical Gardens, as to the discovery of the body of a Chinese baby in the bushes at the Albany corner. It being wrapped up in paper, she had thought it was a parcel of waste-paper until a closer inspection. The discovery was made on a day two months

Dr. A. V. Greaves, in charge of The Council has accepted a gift the Morgue, spoke of seeing the of G\$10,000 for preparation of a bodies of two Chinese babies on the morning of November 14, when he went into the Morgue. In addition to the Police label accompanying each body taken into the Prisoner, who gave evidence, and asked him for a loan of \$30, mortuary, witness said that there said that he heard of the robbery He refused to advance the money, was a number given to it accordafter it had been committed, and fand as Lo Shing was leaving, he ling to the order of its receipt. On naw two men, in wet clothes, l.c. told prisoner to take care of him- that date, the two bodies were naw two men, in west change, the self when he was walking in the numbered 3 and 4 respectively. Hudson Waves (Pignoloni), ing taken past his house, He self when he was walking in the numbered 3 and 4 respectively. Hudson Waves (Pignoloni). denied that he was at the seene street, and mentioned stabbing. He did not look at the labels, but he was in the street. He spoke of was a false one and had been them. One body was of a baby, Marcia Turca (Turkish March). his employments since that time, fabricated egainst him because he a few days old, and the other that

Examining Number Four, he lisenvered a strip of cloth, 15 inches long, tied tightly twice around the neck and knotted behind the neck. He satisfied bimself that the child was not stillborn; that it had lived and breathed. The cause of death was asphyxia, caused by strangulation with the strip of cloth, A cursory glance would not have revealed the fact, as the strip of cloth was deeply embedded in the flesh. He formed the opinion that death must have taken place at least 36 hours previously.

Morgue Procedure.

ness said that every body received! at the Morgue, was supposed to be accompanied by a Police card giving all possible particulars, such as where it was found, etc. The duty of the attendant then, was to receive the body, and place it in the proper place with the label

Witness said that he had since given orders that no body was to be taken in unless such a card was attached to it. Then, every morning before his arrival, it was the duty of his clerk also to make a list of the bodies awaiting post-morten examination. In the shown as having come from the No. 1 Attendant's father who re- ing countries; also that the origin

due to strangulation, witness said he entered the fact in his register and he also made a report to the Director of Criminal Intelligence. He included the report in the ordinary reports and did not notify any Station direct of his discovery.

Replying to Mr. Wodehouse, witness said he was not aware that it had always been the practice to attach those identification cards attached to the bodies until witto the bodies. There was always ness had seen them. an attendant on duty, day and night, at the Morgue. As far as he | The enquiry was adjourned unwas able to make out, it was the til this afternoon.

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WORLD TRAFFIC IN DRUGS.

MANY COUNTRIES NOT GIVING DATA.

Genova, Jan. 19.

The League of Nations Central Opium Board's publicity and propaganda has failed to reduce appreciably the world traffic in opium, reported Mr. Lyall, the Chairman of the Opium Committee to the Council

He said that the traffic continued on an immense scale, and failing other means the Board must use its powers to denounce the countries which are in danger of becoming centres of the illicit traffic.

The report of the Board to the Council complains of certain countries, some of whom have signed the Geneva Opium Convention, being slow in responding to its request for information. Some gave the figures only of legal imports, not referring to the seizure of illicit drugs. Others lumped their tropical and European territories together; while information from the South American and Central American States was al most entirely absent.

. The Council adopted the Board's suggestions that it should be allowed to recommend an embargo on the imports of drugs from the offend-

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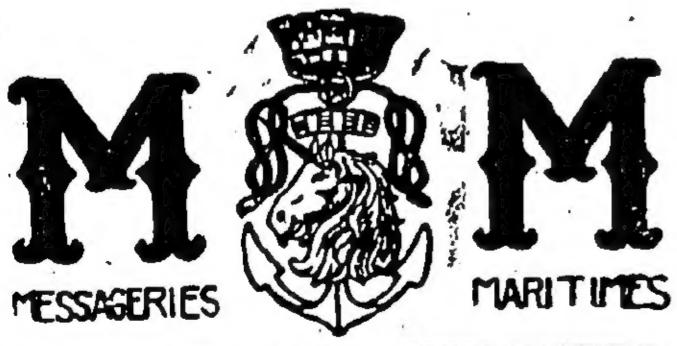
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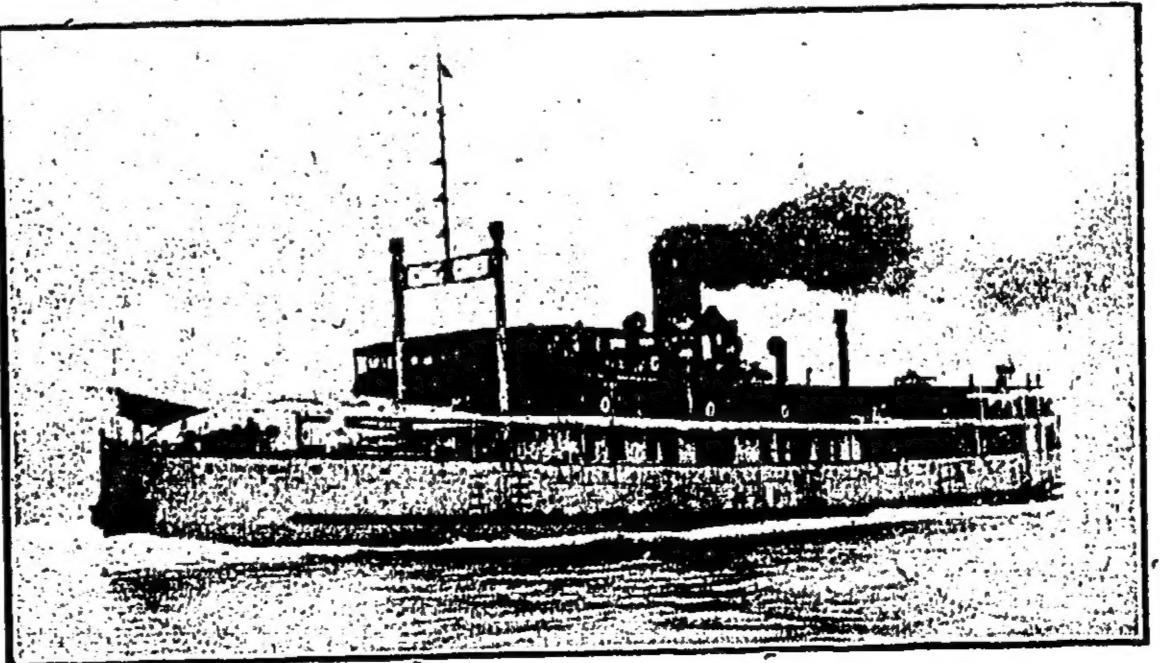
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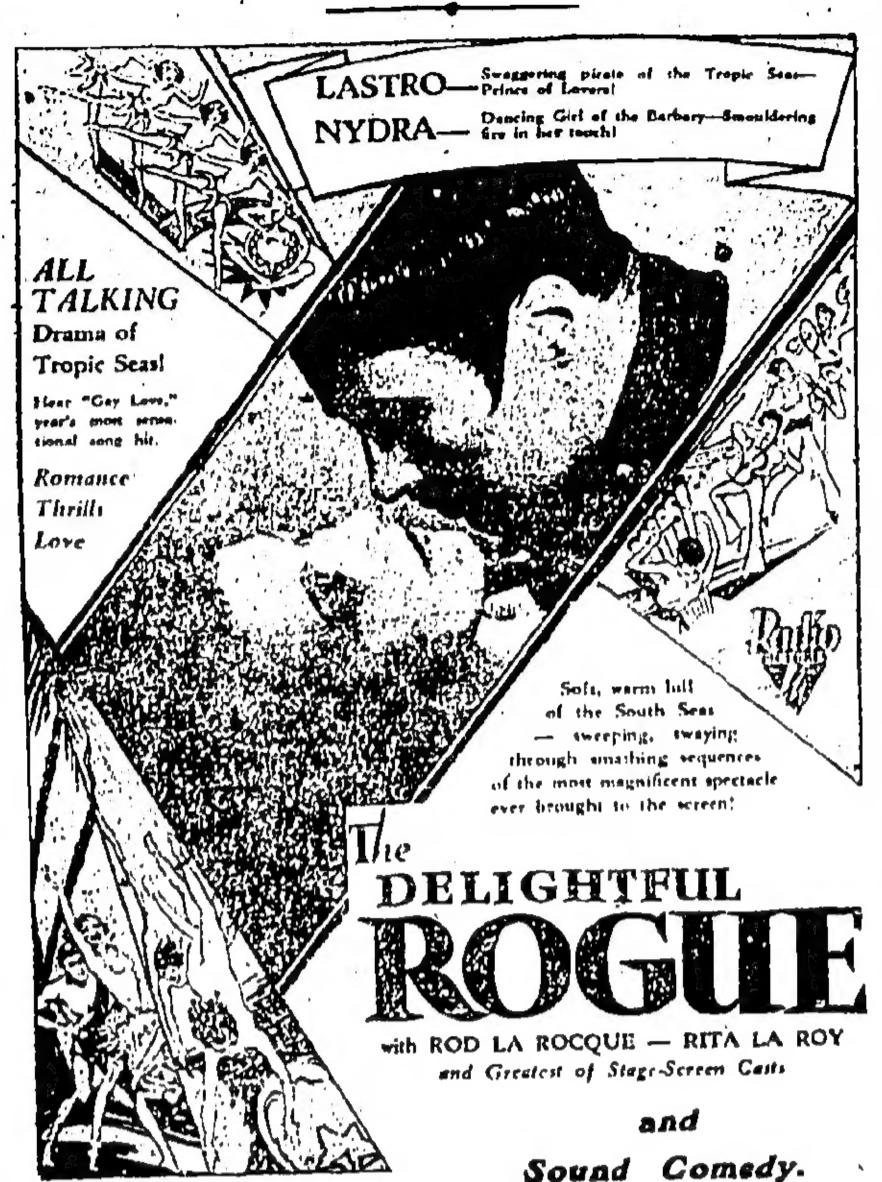
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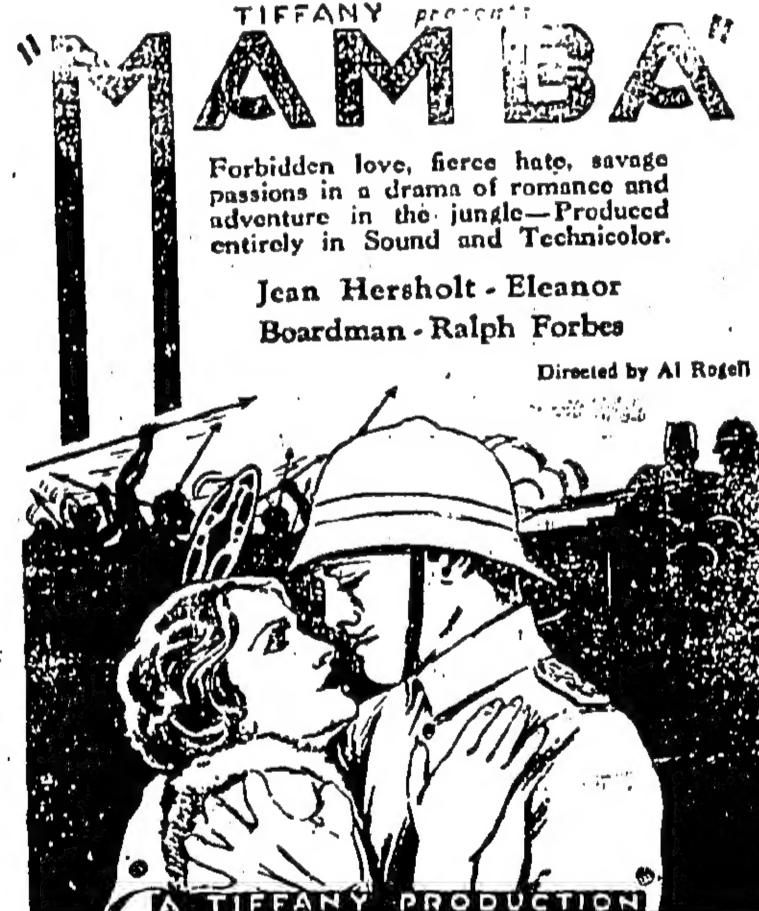
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English Songs .- Fair House of Ronald).

Piano Solos,-Pres du Berceau (Moszowski), Scherzo-Etude (Moszowski), Prelude in G shar minor (Rachmaninoff), Prelude in G minor (Rachmaninoff).

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fication system, rebuilding several stations and spending during the year a further £1,300,000 on the Southampton Docks' extension scheme. - British Wireless.

AN OLD WOMAN REPRIMANDED.

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ACCUSED OF TELLING LIES IN COURT.

Mr. Lindsell, at the Central Police Court this morning, reprimanded an elderly Chinese woman who appeared before him on charge of being in possession of eight taels of dutiable tobacco and 3.5 taels of raw opium.

The woman said she had been given the parcels to deliver to an actor, but she did not know the name of either the person or the theatre. She was to give the packages to anyone she met.

His Worship told the defendant that she should be ashamed of herself for telling lies at her age.

Remarking that he did not want to send her to prison, as she was 70 years old, his Worship remanded the defendant until to-morrow to see whether she had any friends whom might stand guarantee for

ARMED ROBBERY SEQUEL.

HUSBAND AND WIFE NOW ARRESTED.

Following the arrest of a Chinese ib-contractor on a charge of complicity in the armed robbery at 62A, Bonham Road, the man's wife been apprehended. This morning she appeared before Mr.

house, 20 Parkes Street, she hand- lost. ed the ring to another woman, who threw it into a dust-bin-

The defendant was remanded until to-morrow morning when her husband is also due to appear before the Court on remand.

MR. SOONG BACK IN NANKING.

REPORTS ON TALK WITH MUKDEN LEADER.

Nanking, Jan. 19. Finance, returned here at 2.30 p.m. from Tientsin and reported to sult of his discussions with thrusting, or stabbing" weapons fright and ran away.

MR. SOONG AND THE SILVER LOAN.

SENATOR PITTMAN SHOWS NO DISCOURAGEMENT.

BRITAIN'S ATTITUDE.

Washington, Jan. 15. Senator Pittman to-day again blamed the fall in silver prices to Great Britain's policy of dumping Indian silver on the world market. Senator Pittman, who is chair man of the foreign relations subcommittee which is engaged in studying the decline in silver, said were got under control. that the report of the sub-commit-

tee would recommend, firstly, negotiations to suspend the British-Indian silver policy; secondly, a ailver loan to China; Joy (Quilter), Page's Road Song and, thirdly, an international con-(Ivor Novello), Love's Quarrel ference to study the future use of (Cyril Scott). Adonnis (Landon silver as money and its exchange

> saw nothing antagonistic towards the committee's programme in the recent statement by the Chinese and the blaze quickly got under Minister of Finance, Mr. T. V. control. Soong, that China was unwilling to accept a silver loan that the idea of the loan was an attempt by American silver interests to dump their surplus of the white metal on China.

Senator Pittman interprets Mr. Soong's statement to mean that noon. what China was mostly interested in was action which would end the stendy drop in the price of silver A new steamer to carry passen- and thus restore the purchasing Indian silver policy existed, silver It is called an auto-carrier and speculators everywhere would to depression.

structed by Messrs. Henderson, decline in silver to selling by definitely decided to transfer its The Southern Railway are also until the British authorities temporarily at the French Con-They are extending the electri- millions of silver coins as bullion. General Ho Yao-tsu, Marshal -Reuter.

PRINCE OF WALES IN SPAIN.

MEMORIAL TO SIR JOHN MOORE.

London, Jan. 19.

embarked for South America in the Powers in the event of the the liner Oropesa at Santander price realised from the selling of last night, landed this morning at the Peking Levation Quarter fail-Corunna, and, after a welcome by ing to cover expenses in connexion the Mayor, laid the foundation with the purchase of land in Nanstone for the memorial to Sir John king. Moore. He was presented with a box containing sand from the battlefield.

Prince rejoined the Oropesa at Vigo this evening .-British Wireless..

| | Sir John Moore was famous for his conduct of the Spanish resistance to France in 1809. He met a hero's death at the moment of victory on the field of Corunna and was buried, by his dying wish in the ramparts of the city.

THE FELIX VILLA MURDER.

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pantry without telling prisoner, and when his master enquired for them, the accused did not know ly) :- He might have been playing where they were. He was reproached by his master for this, but was not dismissed on that occasion. The reason for his dismissal was another row which accused had with witness.

After recounting the incidents been seized. of the night of the 12th, witness Lindsell at the Central Police locks of the front and back gates, Court on a charge of receiving a the kitchen, boy's room and wit-gold ring set with jade, stated to ness's room. He saw these four have been stolen during the rob- keys in accused's room on one occasion, but they were generally Detective Sergeant Meadows, in kept in the doors. When the poapplying for a remand until to- lice made their investigations only morrow morning, stated that when I two keys were found, and he could the police visited the woman's not say when the other two were

badly burned.

Mr. T. V. Soong, Minister of to the drafting of a Bill by the with theft. Reich Home Minister punishing Defendant said he went to look with one year's imprisonment any- for a friend. The complainant

THREE KOWLOON FIRES.

TEN PEOPLE ESCAPE BY THE ROOF.

At three o'clock this morning a fire broke out in a shoe-maker's establishment at Laichikok Road. The ground floor was unoccupied at the time, but ton people were alceping on the first floor and they escaped by climbing through the cock-loft on to

Four fire appliances were despatched to the scene, two from Mongkok and two from Kowloon. After an hour's work, the flames

The contents of the ground floor were completely destroyed, and the woodwork partly so. The damage is estimated at a consider-

There were no casualties. A rattan furniture shop in Austin Road was the scene of another fire at about 4.45 p.m. yesterday. The Fire Brigade was summoned Senator Pittman said that he and appliances were sent from

Damage was done to the ground and first floors by water, while the second floor was gutted. The damage is estimated at about \$1,400. A wooden hut in Kow Ying Chi | village, used as a dwelling, was burnt to the ground yesterday after-

FRENCH LEGATION MOVE.

TRANSFER FROM PEKING TO NANKING.

Nanking, Jan. 19. It is stated in official quarters Senator Pittman credited the that the French Government has

because they knew of no hope The Legation will be housed policy of selling hundreds of to the private residence of Chiang's Chief-of-Staff.—Reuter.

Chinese messages state that the Reconstruction Committee has renched an understanding with the Ministry for Foreign Affairs concerning the assignment of a large portion of land situate in the northwestern section of Nanking for the accommodation of the Legation Quarter. Each Legation Office will be assigned 20 more of land, the price of which will be fixed by the Nanking Land Office. The Nanking H.R.H. the Prince of-Wales, who Government agrees to compensate

YOUNG GAMBLER IN COURT.

SAYS WAS THE ONLY ONE INVOLVED.

In admitting a charge of street gambling at West Point, a young Chinese who appeared before Mr. Lindsell at the Central Police Court this morning insisted that he had been the only person gambling and that there was nobody else involved. His Worship:-Do you want to

go to the Asylum?

Defendant:-I was the only man arrested. His Worship (to Inspector Mac-Walter) :- Isn't he quite sane, or is he putting it on? Inspector MacWalter (smiling-

Worship: - Well, ... that wouldn't be gambling; he admits he

was gambling. Inspector MacWalter informed his Worship that twenty cents had

His Worship (to defendant):said there were keys fitting the Who won the twenty cents, your right hand or your left hand? A fine of \$1 was imposed.

THEFT OF TWO JACKETS.

CHINESE SENTENCED TO . TWO MONTHS.

Putting his hand through the shutters of No. 50, Parkes Street, Rather than submit to the a thief extracted a serge jacket ndignity of having his finger and a cotton jacket, the property prints taken in the prison at Dun- of Ma Fuk, a shoemaker, who was kirk, a former captain of the sleeping at the time but was Foreign Legion, who was sen- awakened by a slight sound and tenced for running down a man in rushed out, whereupon, the thief his motor-car, pressed his fingers dropped the jackets on the door-against a red-hot stove and was step and bolted. He was later eaught by one of the shoemaker's fokis in Nathan Road.

The thief, a man name Kwok The considerable number of por- Hon-cho, was produced before Mr. sons killed and wounded in poli- Butters, at the Kowloon Magistical fights in Germany has led tracy this morning, and charged

Marshal Chiang Kai-shek the re- one found carrying . "striking, and his foki chased him as he took

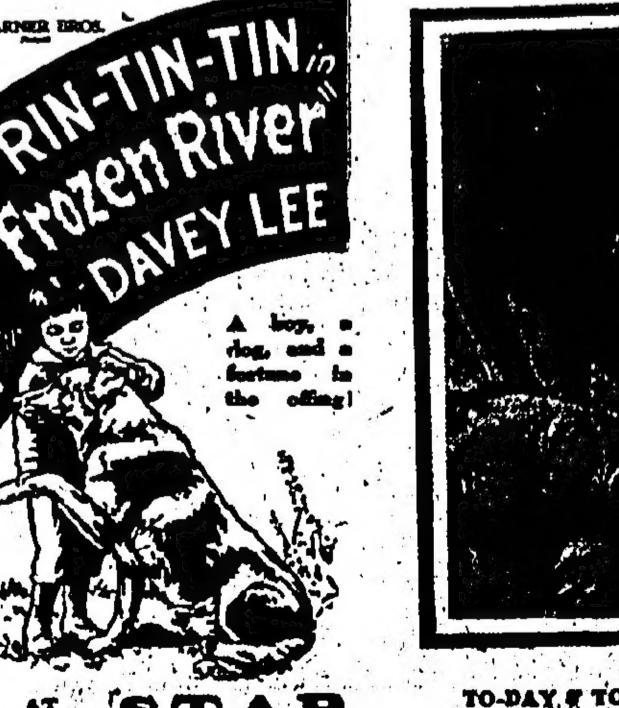
FINAL SHOWINGS TO-DAY AT QUEEN'S At 2.30, 5.10, 7.15 & 9.20 Songs



- ALSO -"FRIENDSHIP"

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